

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains abnormally high over this province, and fair weather is general on the Pacific Slope. Fine, colder weather is reported on the Prairies.

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MANY CHANGES EXPECTED IN FEDERAL CABINET

CONVENTION ENDS MIDST ENTHUSIASM

Striking Scenes When Meetings of Canadian Legion Come to Close With Adjournment Motion

VITAL PROBLEMS ARE DISCUSSED

Splendid Spirit of Unity and Unanimity Mark All Sessions and Debates on Important Issues

REGINA, Nov. 28.—The tremendous power of the Canadian Legion in securing remedial legislation on behalf of harassed ex-service men, was splendidly demonstrated at the annual convention of the organization here this afternoon when Major Ashton, chairman of the Soldier Settlement Board, agreed, after strong representations from the floor of the convention, to completely hold up all evictions and cancellation proceedings against soldier settlers in arrears until next Spring, by which time the Legion hopes to have plans ready for legislative action which will relieve existing grievances.

FINAL MESSAGE

"We go now to carry out our wishes and we approach what is the most serious year in ex-soldier matters. The Legion is showing its power, the calibre of its men and the high nature of its principles. But we have yet to convince the people of all Canada of the definite value to the Dominion of our work. We must now go out and win, and may God help us to do our duty nobly."

With these parting words, Lieut. Col. L. R. Lafleche, president, pronounced the adjournment of the third annual convention of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League here this afternoon and closed the fourth day of an assembly which for harmony of expression, national outlook on broad problems and constructive thought and action on matters of tremendous importance has far outshone any previous gathering of ex-service men ever held in the Dominion of Canada.

The delegates from every province of the Dominion were inspired by the splendid spirit of unity and unanimity on the problems discussed, and in his closing address, Colonel Lafleche expressed his warm appreciation of the far-reaching results achieved.

IMPORTANT MOVE

One of the high lights of the afternoon session was the decision to appoint a general secretary for the Canadian Legion, and constructive recommendation, adopted with hearty cheers, that the convention recommend to the Dominion executive council that Comrade Major Reg Bowler be appointed to the position.

A lengthy discussion ensued on Poppy Day activities and singing.

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From the Colonist Tower

Friday, Nov. 29

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, stationary or lower temperature.

Sun Rises: 7:42 o'clock.

Sun Sets: 4:22 o'clock.

High Tide: 12:04 p.m., 9.3 feet.

Low Tide: 8:24 p.m., 1.9 feet.

Sports

Seattle Ekimkos hand Portland first defeat in overtime. Alkenhead sets avulsive record in Bucks net.

New York Americans defeat Ottawa Senators, N.Y. Rangers take lead in American Section. Detroit downs Maroons.

Tuffy Griffith to battle Uzcudun tonight.

British golf body lifts ban on steel-shafted clubs.

The News

Local and Provincial—Alderman Marchant forecasts either new library building or branch establishments. Plans filed for \$50,000 apartment house in Oak Bay.

Mr. Lawrence J. Burpee will speak here on Monday. Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—Enthusiastic scenes mark close of first convention of Canadian Legion held at Regina. Shuffle is expected to take place in Federal Cabinet shortly. Drastic move made by China to end Russian invasion of Manchuria.

New President for War Veterans



LT. COL. L. R. LAFLECHE, D.S.O., A.D.C., who has been elected as head of the Canadian Legion for the coming year. He is the place of Sir Arthur Currie, who requested that he be allowed to withdraw from the usual election of his headship. Sir Arthur has been elected as first Grand President of the organization.

CITY LIBRARY POLICY CALLS FOR DECISION

Alderman Marchant Forecasts Either New Building or Branch Establishments in Other Parts of City

BRIEF SKETCH OF INSTITUTION

"Steps must be taken shortly to secure either the establishment of branch libraries in the outer sections of the city and district, or the erection of a new library building, with double the capacity of the existing structure," was the opinion expressed to The Colonist last night by Alderman Marchant, representative of the City Council on the Board of Trustees of the Victoria Public Library, in reference to the congested condition of the present library building on the corner of Yates and Blanchard Streets.

"A sale of the present library building might be undertaken, and with the addition of a further grant from the Carnegie Trust Fund, a new building, which would meet the library needs of the community for many years, could be erected," Alderman Marchant stated.

Alderman Marchant pointed out that the Library Board had considered the feasibility and advisability of building an extension to the existing structure, but it was the unanimous opinion that such a project would prove inadequate and would be but a temporary improvement of the condition. The trustees, he said, felt it would be far more desirable to have a new building, with ample accommodation for the future library requirements of Victoria and district.

HEAVY CONGESTION

"The present library building is inadequate for the work. There is heavy congestion in the central portion of the building on certain days, particularly Saturdays, which means that there is not sufficient room for."

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Liberals of Nova Scotia To Aid Bill

HALIFAX, Nov. 28.—Liberal members of the Nova Scotia House of Assembly have agreed to support a bill putting into effect the will of the people as expressed in the present plebiscite on the question of liquor control, and to expedite its passing early in the forthcoming session of the House. Hon. William Chisholm, leader of the Opposition, announced last night. The party leader said that in the introduction of a measure drafted "in accordance with the will of the people, as expressed in the plebiscite," members of the Opposition would give their support regardless of personal feeling on the question.

WIDOW OF FORMER SPEAKER IS DEAD

OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—Mrs. Georgina Bolduc, widow of Senator Joseph Bolduc, who was appointed Speaker of the Senate of Canada in 1916, died this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. Cloutier, at St. George de la Beauce, Quebec, following an illness of one month.

In failing health, for some time, Mrs. Bolduc left the capital to live with her daughter during the summer season.

Furious Gale Is Experienced in Great Britain

DOVER, Eng., Nov. 28.—Another furious gale is raging on the English Channel. Many craft have sought shelter in Dover Harbor. Rain predominated everywhere and many of the roads in Western and Southern England and the Midlands were flooded.

The West of England has suffered heavily, most of the roads in Devon and Cornwall being flooded to a depth of four feet, making them impassable for light traffic.

GOLD CONTROL CENTRALIZED IN AUSTRALIA

Commonwealth Bank Recommends Legislation to Place All Country's Gold Under Its Charge

VIEW CONDITIONS WITH UNEASINESS

CANBERRA, Australia, Nov. 28.—The board of directors of the Commonwealth Bank of Australia has recommended legislation to place the bank in immediate control of all the gold in Australia.

Mr. E. G. Theodore, Commonwealth Treasurer, in introducing an amendment to the Commonwealth Bank Act in the House of Representatives today, read a letter from the chairman of the board supporting the Labor Government's proposals. The letter added that the chairman viewed the present gold situation with disquietude, particularly with regard to credit in London.

TO PREVENT EXPORTS

Mr. Theodore said that the proposed measure was not intended to prevent the export of gold. It was merely designed to make the bank the one controlling authority in Australia. Commercial houses found it cheaper to ship gold than to make telegraphic transfers.

The measure, therefore, included nothing that would interfere with the export of gold. It was merely intended to prevent the shipment of gold without permission.

NO DESIRE IS NOW FELT FOR NEW ELECTION

Sir Herbert Samuel of Opinion That British Government Will Not Suffer From Left Wing

MUST SEE WHAT PROPOSALS ARE

LONDON, Nov. 28.—There is evidently no desire for a general election in Great Britain at an early date, said Sir Herbert Samuel, chief organizer of the Liberal party, addressing the City of London Liberal Association here today. He was unlikely, he said, the Labor Government would suffer any serious embarrassment from the Left Wing of its own party.

The course of British politics, in the near future, he predicted, would depend on the way in which the Government dealt with the three grave problems, finance, unemployment and coal.

Some Governments are born to deficits, some achieve deficits and some have deficits thrust on them, he said. In the case of the present Government it is all three.

Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer in the former Conservative administration, he continued, had left behind him very inadequate provisions to meet the charges on the Government.

The Government's proposals, with regard to coal, so far as their plans were known at present, seemed to conform closely to the recommendations of the Royal Commission of the House of Commons.

If it should prove that the Government was proceeding along these lines, the measures would command very general support.

NEW KIWANIAN HEAD

VANCOUVER, Nov. 28.—Mr. Henry B. Maclean will head the Kiwanis Club for the ensuing year, having been elected president at the luncheon here today.

PROPOSALS PRESENTED TO SOVIET

China Takes Drastic Steps to End Dispute With Russian Government and to Secure Peace

ARMISTICE LAST SUGGESTION MADE

New Move Follows on Repudiation of Manchuria's Action in Appointing Railway Managers

COUCHED in stern terms, China has presented proposals to Soviet Russia looking to settlement of the Manchurian hostilities, with the warning that rejection of the proposals will indicate that "Russia entertains a warlike ambition toward China," while the Nationalist Government will be prepared to oppose.

China proposed an armistice and that a joint commission of Chinese and Russians investigate conditions on the borders of Russia and China.

STERN ATTITUDE

The drastic move of China's Central Government followed the independent action by Manchuria on Wednesday for the possible settlement of the Chinese Eastern Railway dispute which resulted in Soviet troops invading Manchuria and scattering the Chinese soldiery with little opposition.

Manchuria had agreed that Russian managers should be reinstated in operation of the railway, pending consideration of other terms imposed by Russia.

Disregarding Manchuria's action in making peace as that of unauthorized district officials, the Nationalist Government at Nanking proceeded with plans to request the League of Nations to settle the controversy of China with Russia.

SERIOUS REVOLT

On its far southern border, the Nationalist Government was engaged with a serious revolt in Kwangtung and Kwangsi provinces. Rebel forces were about 130 miles from Canton, their objective, and observers expressed the opinion that the city would be captured unless Nationalist reinforcements of troops and warships already dispatched, arrived shortly.

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Search Ship To Discover More Bodies

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Fishermen clad in oilskins and waders today searched the hull of the steamship Molesey, off the Pembrokeshire coast, for the bodies of victims of Monday's wreck, five of which are still missing.

Accompanied by coastguards, they clambered aboard the wrecked steamship during a driving rain while waves washed over the deck, and searched the cabins and some of the hold.

The Molesey has gradually settled since she struck the rocks, and now only the mast, some shattered fittings, and occasionally part of the deck, are visible from shore. While the search was progressing, coastguards, police and fisherfolk kept watch along the coast.

The coroner has delayed the inquest in case further bodies should be discovered, but it will be held tomorrow in the village of Marloes.

Lawyer Question Right of Crown To Privileges

VANCOUVER, Nov. 28.—Judgment was reserved today by Chief Justice Morrison, in Supreme Court, on an application by Mr. Gordon Sloan, counsel for Mr. Joseph Celino, to examine for discovery the provincial assessor for Vancouver.

Mr. Celino is defendant to an action of breach of promise by Mrs. Sloan, which was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, and was educated at the public schools there. He entered the Canadian Civil Service in 1890, and later was secretary to a number of prominent Canadian public men.

In 1905 he was appointed librarian of the Carnegie Public Library in Ottawa, which office he occupied until he was named secretary of the Joint International Commission in 1912.

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Apartment to Cost \$50,000 For Oak Bay

Plans for a \$50,000 apartment house were yesterday filed with the officials of Oak Bay Municipality on behalf of Mr. C. P. Hill, who will erect the structure at the corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Yale Street. The preliminary plans, which may necessitate some slight changes in order to conform to the zoning regulations, show a flat roof structure of three stories and basement, containing twelve suites. Modern apartment house practice will be followed in the building of this latest addition to the steadily growing buildings of this class in the municipality. The architect is Mr. A. A. Cox.

GT. BRITAIN SIDESTEPED IN U.S. NOTE

British Claims in Antarctic Dismissed Brusquely in Note From State Department of States

PRESENT COMMENT IS UNNECESSARY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The question of ownership of lands in the Antarctic, raised by the British Government, after Commander Richard Byrd started his expedition into the South Polar regions, has been temporarily sidestepped by the American Government.

November 17, a year ago, the British Government, in a polite but firm note to the United States, said: "His Majesty's Governments in the various countries of the Empire have watched with special interest the progress of the expedition on account of the interest which they themselves take in the regions where they understood Commander Byrd would conduct the bulk of his research."

The note recalled that the entire question had been discussed at the Imperial Conference of 1926, a copy of the proceedings having been transmitted to the State Department.

Mr. Joseph P. Cotton, Under Secretary of State, last November 15, acknowledged the note through the British Embassy, expressing the regret of the State Department that an acknowledgment had been so long delayed and appreciation of the "interest" of the British in the Byrd expedition.

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CANADIAN CLUB TO ENTERTAIN NOTED AUTHOR

Mr. Lawrence J. Burpee, Canadian Writer, Will Speak Here Monday on "The Kyoto Conference"

IS SECRETARY OF JOINT COMMISSION

Mr. Lawrence Johnstone Burpee, P.R.S.C., of Ottawa, secretary of the International Joint Commission, and a well-known Canadian author, will address the Men's Canadian Club next Monday at a luncheon gathering at 12 noon in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Burpee will reach Victoria on Sunday on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada from the Orient. He was a member of the Canadian delegation to the Pacific Relations Conference, held recently in Kyoto, Japan, and will speak to the Canadian Club on the subject, "The Kyoto Conference."

Before leaving Canada to attend the party in Japan, Mr. Burpee addressed a number of organizations in various parts of British Columbia in which he outlined the purpose of the Joint International Commission and told of the practical work it was performing in amicably adjusting problems arising on the 4,000 miles of frontier between the Dominion of Canada and the United States.

Mr. Burpee was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, and was educated at the public schools there. He entered the Canadian Civil Service in 1890, and later was secretary to a number of prominent Canadian public men.

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An author of many books, Mr. Burpee is well known for his contribution to the "Makers of Canada."

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Church Enters Oil Field



AMONG the derricks of Turner Valley, the scene of Alberta's search for oil, the United Church has dedicated the church, top, and completed a manse in time to shelter the Winter congregations. This is the first church opened in the camp. Another church is to be built at Black Diamond, where the congregation meet in a hall, centre. Below is a view of a section of the oil fields in the Turner Valley. These photographs have just been brought from the field by Dr. Cochran.

Clergy of Vancouver and Seattle Consider Making Prayers for Heavy Rains

VANCOUVER, Nov. 28.—There is a possibility that the clergy of Vancouver will seek divine intercession to bring to an end the drought which has seriously threatened hydro-electric production on the Lower Mainland.

Most Rev. A. U. De Penier, Archbishop of New Westminster, said he was considering the ordering of special prayers for rain. He remarked that it is more usual to be praying for cessation of rain.

Rev. George O. Pallas, chaplain, declared that he will consult Mayor W. H. Malkin and officers of the General Ministerial Association to determine what action may be taken.

A conference will also be held by the Roman Catholic Church, according to one of its officials, to ascertain whether or not it will be necessary to include in the regular masses the special prayers ordered by the Roman rite, for the use in crises arising out of lack of rain.

PRAYERS AT SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Nov. 28.—Mayor Frank Edwards today joined with the ministers of Seattle in praying for rain. The mayor, who was an invited guest along with Rear Admiral H. J. Zeigemeier, commander of the Bremerton naval station, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, said that he prayed for rain to relieve the critical power situation which prevails in most communities of the Northwest.

Dr. Mark A. Matthews, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Seattle, yesterday appealed to all ministers of the city to pray for rain to relieve the threatening situation.

While nine prominent ministers accepted the invitation, Rev. M. E. Boller, of the University Baptist Church, denounced it "sheer hypocrisy and rank paganism to ask God for rain while bringing forth fruit fit only for repentance."

Stream of River Obliterated by Clouds of Ashes

FORT DE FRANCE, Martinique, Nov. 28.—Heavy clouds of ash emitted by Mount Pelée recently have choked the wide bed of the River Blanch and obliterated the stream. There is no visible flow of water, but observers fear that avalanches of mud may sweep down through the gulleys on the west and southwest of Mount Pelée. Government officials estimated that the weight of ash deposits in the bed of the River Blanch were anywhere between a million and a million and a half tons.

Bandits Bind Up Employees to Rob Plant of Money

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Eight men invaded the Case & Martin Pie Co. plant today, bound up eight employees, blasted the safe and escaped with currency and securities worth \$20,000. The robbers, armed with revolvers and a shotgun, rounded up the workers and herded them in the boiler-room, where all were trussed with electric light cords, while the bandits carried the safe with nitroglycerine. The employees were left on the floor and it took them three hours to loose their bonds.

SHUFFLE IN CABINET IS CONSIDERED

Translation of Hon. Mr. Dunning Likely to Compel Premier to Make Further Changes in Cabinet

RUMORS GROWING ROUND MR. KAY

Preparations for Opening of Parliament Proceeding and Estimates Are Being Got Ready

OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—The presence in Ottawa of Mr. W. F. M. Kay, Liberal member for Bromes-Missisquoi, has revived rumors of the possibility that Mr. Kay may be elected by Premier King as a member of the Cabinet with or without portfolio. The appointment of Mr. Kay would again give the English-speaking minority in the province of Quebec a Cabinet representative.

It is now suggested that the Premier may decide to make a few transfers among the present ministers. For instance, Hon. C. W. D. Euler, Minister of National Revenue, may be moved over into the Railways Department, leaving the department of National Revenue vacant.

Hon. Fernand Renfret, who has gathered Cabinet experience in the Department of Secretary of State, might be regarded by the Prime Minister as a suitable appointee to the National Revenue vacancy.

The Premier, it is suggested, might select a man from outside of the State Department, and Mr. Kay considered in this connection. Mr. C. B. Howard, member for Sherbrooke, another English-speaking member, has also been mentioned repeatedly for a portfolio. He is a business man with large interests and would be considered eligible for either the department of Railways or National Revenue.

Mr. Kay said this evening that he had come to Ottawa to take up some matters with the Government departments. It is understood that he will see the Premier before returning to his home tomorrow.

Preparations for the coming session of Parliament are proceeding. As indicated by Premier Mackenzie King, it is the desire to have the sessional programme in good shape so that there will be little delay after the members reach Ottawa.

The departmental estimates are being prepared and revised, and the cabinet has already given consideration to some of the matters which it is proposed to bring up. Indications now seem to point to the opening of Parliament on Thursday, January 30, or a week later.

Reports He Gave His Assistance To Wanted Man

LINDSAY, Ont., Nov. 28.—Mr. C. McKay, National Railways station agent at Canington, Ont., reported to the provincial police that on October 27 last he provided a meal to a man answering the description of the missing German wanted in connection with the murder of a trapper recently at Coboonk. The man informed Mr. McKay he was on his way to consult the German Consul at Toronto. According to the station agent, the man had a bag of money issued from a Saskatchewan bank.

Keeper of Hotel Who Was Missing Has Been Found

WINNIPEG, Nov. 28.—Three search parties scouring the Pinawa district for Mr. T. B. McDonald, fifty-five years old, Lac du Bonnet hotel owner, missing since Tuesday, had their efforts rewarded today, when the missing man was located alive.

McDonald had embarked Tuesday on a hunting trip, with Mark West. The two men separated in an attempt to round up a moose. When McDonald failed to appear at the scheduled meeting place, West instituted a search which resulted in locating McDonald.

OTTAWA CHURCHES' APPEAL SUSTAINED

OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—Appeals of three Ottawa churches against assessment of church lands used for recreational purposes, have been allowed by the Civil Court of Revision. Operation of tennis and bowling clubs was definite part of recognized church work it was held in the court ruling.

OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—Vernon's war memorial will be completed by the addition of a flaming torch surmounting the stone pedestal, now in place.

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Moose Jaw Mills Suffering From U.S. Competition

MOOSE JAW, Nov. 28.—The rolled oat mill of Robin Hood Mills, at Moose Jaw, has been affected by the fact that oats in the United States are cheaper, and the American-manufactured product is being brought into Canada and underselling the product of Canadian mills. The oat mill here has been operating on reduced time.

Mr. J. M. Bruzek, general man-

ager of the Robin Hood Mills, states that while the American competition is being felt severely here in the West, Eastern mills are suffering much more. He states that representation has been made to the Government on the matter, but had nothing further to say in that regard.

VERNON, B.C., Nov. 28.—Notice has been given that at the expiration of the six months' notice period, the city of Vernon will negotiate a new deal with the railways for water. The present deal was made with the Canadian National Railways.



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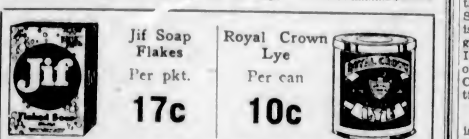
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3 lbs. for	50c	Cooked, shortening, per lb.	18c
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Velveta Cheese, per lb.	30c	Fancy Matured Ontario Cheese, per lb.	35c
Mild Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece cut, per lb.	34c	Chateau Cheese, per lb.	36c
Sliced, per lb.	38c	Finest Ayrshire Roll, sliced, per lb.	36c
Finest Sweet Pickled Cottage Roll, per lb.	32c	Finest Sweet Pickled Picnic Ham, per lb.	21c
Fletcher's Edinburgh Roll, they are delicious, per lb.	33c	Finest Smoked Picnic Ham, per lb.	33c
Premium Bologna, sliced, per lb.	30c	Premium Wieners, per lb.	30c
Farmers' Pure Pork Sausages, per lb.	28c	Home-Made Pork Pies, 2 for	15c
Finest Home-Made Minicemut, per lb.	15c	Royal City Sauserkraut, new season's, 2 lbs. for	15c
		Finest Peanut Butter, in your own container, per lb.	15c

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Broken Pekoe Tea, per lb.	45c	Fry's Cocoa, 1/4-lb. tins	25c
3 lbs. for	\$1.30	Freshly Ground Reception Coffee, per lb.	49c
Fresh-Ground Malabar Coffee, per lb.	30c	Australian Sultanas, 2 lbs. for	25c
Australian Currants, 2 lbs. for	25c	Seeded Raisins, large pkts., 2 for	25c
Sun-Maid Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. for	19c	Cut Mixed Peel, 1-lb. pkts.	25c
Mixed Peel, per lb.	22c	Valencia Almonds, per lb.	52c
Finest English Ground Almonds, per lb.	65c	Green Peas, 4 lbs. for	22c
Cut Macaroni, 3 lbs. for	25c	Ogilvie's Wheat Hearts, for breakfast, per carton	19c
Rice, Tapioca, Sago, 4 lbs. for	25c	Holsum Blackberry Jam, 4-lb. tins	41c
Mayflower Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tins	45c	Hedlund's Meat Rolls, or Quick Dinner, per can	24c
King Oscar Sardines in Tomato Sauce, 2 tins for	20c	Post's Bran Flakes, pkt.	13c
Brown Rice Flakes, ready to eat, per pkt.	10c	Clark's Soups, all kinds, 3 for	25c
Red Arrow or Ormond's Soup, per pkt.	10c	Pure French Castile Soap, large tablets, 3 for	25c
Biscuits, per pkt.	10c		
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3 doz. for	75c	Hothouse Tomatoes, lb.	10c
Sweet Potatoes, per lb.	10c	Hard Dry Cooking Onions, 8 lbs. for	25c
3 lbs. for	25c	Nettel Gem Potatoes, extra quality, 7 lbs. for	25c
Unsulphured Figs, Black or White, 2-lb. pkts.	35c	100-lb. sack for	\$3.35
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protests were voiced against other organizations in Toronto and in British Columbia staging drives for funds during the Armistice celebration period.

IMMIGRATION QUESTION

A strong recommendation that the Dominion Government appoint a special commission to deal with the entire question of immigration, and a resolution asking for the improving of drastic restrictions on immigration, with more rigid selection of settlers, were passed at the morning session of the convention.

These recommendations and resolutions were the result of the deliberations of a special committee, which made an exhaustive study of the situation. The committee heard many witnesses in the three days of its sessions and made a study of a report prepared by a commission of the Saskatchewan command of the legion, dealing principally with conditions in the Western provinces.

STATEMENT OF POLICY

The resolutions passed included the following definite declaration of policy: "That this convention again urge upon the Dominion Government the necessity of appointing a special commission to deal with the entire question of immigration."

"That the Canadian Government be requested, in the interests of farmers and wage earners, to limit entries from other than British and preferred countries to near relatives of present settlers until such time as the findings of a national commission of inquiry are available for the purpose of a more scientific approach to the subject."

"That this convention pledges the Department of Immigration and Colonization its full support to a policy of rigid selection, more especially as to the character, physique and industry of the two distinct classes above mentioned."

The convention also passed a strong resolution objecting to the proposed immigration to Canada of any Mennonite or other refugees from Russia, both from a national and an Empire standpoint, and more particularly on account of the present unemployment conditions in Canada.

SUPPORT PEACE MOVE

An enunciation of the strong determination of the ex-servicemen of Canada to join in any international movement for world peace was expressed in a resolution passed at the morning session.

Brigadier-General Alex Ross, of Saskatchewan, in introducing the resolution, reiterated the strong views which had been expressed at previous conventions of the organization in this connection, saying that the legion stood ready to co-operate with any body working towards this much-desired end.

UNEMPLOYMENT

The serious nature of the unemployment situation in many parts of Canada was given serious discussion by the convention, particularly with reference to the position of ex-servicemen suffering from disabilities. In the discussion of this question on the convention floor it was agreed that no satisfactory solution of the problem was at present in sight.

In an effort to arrive at a suggested solution the convention passed a resolution requesting the Dominion Executive Council to appoint a special committee to survey the situation and make definite recommendations tending to the solution of the problem.

The convention, after three hours of discussion and consideration finally adopted a resolution approving of the form of the motion, to be presented to past presidents, honorary secretaries and honorary treasurers.

CANADIAN CLUB TO ENTERTAIN NOTED AUTHOR

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series. He has contributed papers and articles, chiefly on Canadian subjects, to "Transactions of the Royal Society of Canada," to the British Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Historical Association, and to leading English and American reviews.

In 1925, Mr. Burpee was president of both the Canadian Authors' Association and the Canadian Historical Association. He is a member of the national executive of the Association of Canadian Clubs and of the national committee of the Boy Scouts' Association of Canada. He is vice-chairman of the Ottawa group of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs, and a member of the Committee on Intellectual Co-operation of the League of Nations Society of Canada.

"Some of these 'ere bathing pools is said to be full of deadly germs, 'Orace."

"I allus guessed as much, Jim."



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"Use-Your-Vote" Campaign Given Hearty Support

THE committee of the Oyo Club, which is handling arrangements for the "Use-Your-Vote" campaign in connection with the approaching civic election in Victoria has received many complimentary messages upon the decision to hold the drive for a large poll of citizens on polling day, Thursday, December 12.

The club is encouraged by the hearty support which the campaign has thus far received, and seeks the co-operation of the electorate in having as many citizens as possible exercise the franchise this year.

CITY LIBRARY POLICY CALLS FOR DECISION

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the staff to operate and give reasonable service. There is also a great need for more shelf room for books. Every corner and nook is being utilized and still more room is required," Alderman Marchant remarked.

The alderman said that the library statistics for last year showed that the total book collection was 55,659, the daily average circulation 1,111, and the registered borrowers numbered 21,298. The expenses of the library totaled \$50,568.37, and the revenue was \$4,819.77. With a deduction of \$1,700.37, paid by the library board out of fines account, the cost of the library to the City of Victoria was \$23,868.23.

"There are 733 new borrowers residing in the city this year, and about 5,000 more books have been loaned at the library this year than during the whole of 1928. There is a greater number per capita, and the library is doing a better business than ever before in its history," Alderman Marchant asserted.

HISTORY OF LIBRARY

In discussing the history of the Victoria Public Library, the alderman said that a Mechanics Institute Library was organized in 1862. The Mechanics Institute, on April 11, 1889, presented its whole collection, consisting of 4,130 books, to the city on condition that a public library building, providing for the storage and distribution of the books, be erected. The library was named in honor of Mr. Galpin, of Cassels Company, presented 380 books valued at \$100 to the library.

The Victoria Public Library opened on Broad Street on May 11, 1889, and the borrowers' lists were divided into ladies and gentlemen. Mrs. John Robson, wife of Premier Robson, was the first lady to register, and Mr. John Grant, who was mayor of Victoria at the time, led the list of borrowers in the gentlemen's book.

CARNEGIE GRANT

A gift of \$50,000 was made by Mr. Andrew Carnegie to the city for a library building, providing for the storage and distribution of the books. The gift was accepted, and the building was named in honor of Mr. Carnegie. The building was opened on May 11, 1904, and the library was named in honor of Mr. Carnegie.

NOVA SCOTIA By-Election Is Critical One

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HALIFAX, Nov. 28.—Hon. Edgar Nelson Rhodes, Premier of Nova Scotia and former Speaker of the House of Commons at Ottawa, has taken a hand in the greatest gamble of his long and really successful political career.

Backed by present by a slim majority of two in the Nova Scotia Legislature he has determined to risk all in the hope of obtaining one more supporter in the House and thus stave off another general election until the expiry of the Government's term in 1933.

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PROPOSALS PRESENTED TO SOVIET

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For the time being at least, the Kuomintang rebel forces were said to have ceased fighting in Central China. Many reports asserted that the Kuomintang rebels' generals were bribed with large sums by the Nationalist officials.

POWERS ARE SOUNDED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The American Government formally has sounded out the British, Japanese, Italian and German governments with a view to determining what steps should be taken by the powers to avert more serious Chinese-Soviet hostilities in Manchuria.

The American representatives in the capitals of the interested powers were instructed by Secretary Stimson to discuss possible steps toward concerted action with the governments. Beyond both the Soviet and China were signatories to the general pact for the renunciation of war and that an approach to the situation must be made on this basis, it was understood no concrete proposal was made by the United States.

The purpose of the instructions was primarily in the nature of opening discussion on the question before developments that might lead to hostilities of widespread character. Each of the powers was asked for possible suggestions with a view of collaborating with the other interested nations in preserving peace in the troubled area.

HAS BRITAIN SIDESTEPPED IN U.S. NOTE

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Mr. Cotton added that since the report of the Imperial Conference on the matter had merely brought to the attention of the department for its formation, "no comment seemed to be called for at this time."

An immediate consideration of the consideration of the ownership of the lands in the Antarctic, which Commander Byrd is exploring was averted by the department.

The official summary of the proceedings of the Imperial Conference in 1928 was:

(1)—The British policy in the Antarctic. The question of Antarctic exploration was discussed between representatives of the Governments interested. There are certain areas in these regions to which a British title already exists by virtue of discovery. These areas include:

- (1)—The outlying part of Coats Land.
- (2)—The portion not comprised within the Falkland Islands dependencies.
- (3)—Enderby Land.
- (4)—Queen Mary Land.
- (5)—The area which lies to the west of Adelle Land and which on its discovery by the Australian Antarctic expedition in 1912 was designated Wilkes Land.
- (6)—King George V Land.
- (7)—Gales Land.

representatives of the government concerned stated the information available concerning these areas with special reference to their possible utilization for further developing exploration and scientific research in the Antarctic regions.

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Mr. Singer Takes Action in Court Charging Assault

TORONTO, Nov. 28.—Charging "assault and false imprisonment," Louis M. Singer, K.C., organizer of the Amalgamated Builders' Council, yesterday instituted suit for \$100,000 against Gordon Waldron, K.C., Royal Commissioner appointed by the Canadian Government to investigate the activities of the A.B.C. in various cities throughout Ontario. A writ, claiming the above stated damages, was issued at Osgoode Hall by Mr. J. G. Kelly, counsel for Mr. Singer.

HOT TIMES IN NOVA SCOTIA

Temperance Act Inspector With Bottle in Hand Stages Lone Raid — Hijackers Battle Bootleggers

FINAL FLARE-UP BEFORE NEW LAW

GLACE BAY, N.S., Nov. 28.—Although the liquor question in Nova Scotia was, to all intents and purposes, settled on October 31, when the people voted for repeal of the Nova Scotia Temperance Act and the substitution thereof of a Government Control Act, the rum war goes merrily on. Guns flash and split forth their leaden death; booze bottles are made whose value runs into five figures; hijackers ply their trade, and all who are connected with the business seem to be doing their best to make the last few months of the N.S.T.A. regime ones to be remembered.

A few days ago another life was added to the toll of booze in Nova Scotia, when Benny Bonavasky, of Sydney, was shot and killed by Preventive Officer Leo Corbett, also of Sydney. Bonavasky was only twenty-four years old.

Corbett is now on trial for murder, the charge being preferred by Bonavasky's brother, who was present at the shooting. Corbett claims that he either had to shoot Bonavasky or get shot himself, when he, in company with another officer, held up the Bonavasky car on the Lingan road, a few miles from Glace Bay. Bonavasky died on the way to the hospital.

The town of Truro, N.S., is in the grip of a firebug, or firebugs, claimed to be operating on account of a bootlegger's war. Fires have been discovered repeatedly in wooden buildings, fortunately without any serious damage ensuing. Every one of these blazes showed the hand of an incendiary, and every one of them was in a location in which a fire, once started, would have proven very serious. Bad blood between local bootleggers is said to be back of these fires.

HI-JACKERS ACTIVE

Hi-jackers are reported to be very active on the Sydney-Reserve Highway, a much-travelled road in Cape Breton. In several instances, private persons have been stopped on this road and their cars searched for liquor by men whose authority was the glint of a headlamp on an automatic pistol. In cases where cars have not stopped for these gentry, shots have been fired after them. No report of any of these taking effect has been made.

The driver for a well-known bootlegger reports that one night, on the same highway, he was forced into a ditch by a fire burning in the middle of the road. From this point on, he refuses to give details, except that he had to walk the rest of his journey. What, if anything, was the cargo he carried that night, he refuses to state.

Another bootlegger places his losses from hi-jackers during the past three months at \$40,000. The crowning blow came a short time ago when a cache of his was rifled and about \$20,000 worth of best Demerara rum taken therefrom. He is reported as having said that he is going out of the business; an honest man hasn't a chance, he claims.

The Preventive Force, under the leadership of Major Logan, has been especially active during the past few weeks. It wound up its little party last week by seizing \$10,000 worth of assorted liquor near Dartmouth, N.S. Details of this seizure have not yet been made available.

SINGULAR INCIDENT

But it's a queer business that hasn't a funny angle somewhere. A few weeks ago the Preventive Force decided that it was about time for one of its regular raids on a notorious Halifax joint. So it staged its raid. Requests for admittance into the strongly fortified grog shop having failed, the members of the force produced their trusty axes and informed all and sundry that if the doors did not open at once from the inside, they would see that those same portals came in from the outside.

This brought results. The door opened, and in it a bottle of liquor was in his hand, stood the city Temperance Act inspector. The customs officers felt very unnecessary. They hemmed and hawed, and finally went home on being told that the inspector was having a little rail all by his lonesome, but not before he had accused them of double-crossing and other nasty things.

A judicial inquiry by Rev. D. K. Grant, inspector-in-chief under the Government Control Act, followed. Judgment has been reserved. So, taken all in all, things are far from dead in the province by sea. The probable effect of a Government Control Act upon these conditions is at the present time—Copyright by Star Newspaper Service.

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Committed for Trial

Stanley Youson, charged with a statutory offence, was committed for trial by Magistrate Jay in the city police court yesterday, following a lengthy hearing of the case. Mr. C. L. Harrison acted for the prosecution and Mr. P. J. Sinnott for the defence.

Foreman: What's the idea of quitting?

Pennamato Riveter: Two play—the man who works best—this incessantly.

JERSEY CATTLE BREEDERS HAVE GOOD MEETING

Large Attendance of Breeders From All Parts of Province Discuss Cattle Problems

BREED FELT TO BE MAKING PROGRESS

VANCOUVER, Nov. 28.—Much enthusiasm was manifested at the annual meeting of the B.C. Jersey Breeders' Association, held on Wednesday evening at the Terminal City Club. It was presided by a dinner. President J. W. McGillivray was in the chair. Breeders were present from all parts of the province.

In his annual address, President McGillivray stated that although the short crop had lessened the demand for stock from the prairies, the mass of correspondence received denoted a real liking for their cows in that territory.

Feldman Phil Fleming briefly reported on his work during the last year, which included visits to the prairie fairs, at each of which there was a good display of the breed. The presence of a British Columbia herd at those fairs was favorably commented on as being of great assistance.

CARE FOR BREED

Members were urged to pay closer attention to breeding programme and weed out animals of no merit as by such means they would make the Jersey the outstanding breed. Members were also warned not to neglect to put their cattle in the R.O.P., as production records were now the first requisite of a would-be purchaser.

Short addresses were made by Hon. William Atkinson, Minister of Agriculture; Professor H. M. King and Professor R. L. Davis, of the University of British Columbia; Mr. A. T. Howe, Vernon; Mr. R. U. Hurford, Courtenay; Mr. W. Murray, Chilliwack; Mr. W. H. Mearns, manager of the Victoria Exhibition Association.

It was decided to accept an invitation from Armstrong to visit the Okanagan on next year's Summer tour.

JERSEY MILK

There was some discussion on the milk question, the general opinion being that Jersey milk should be shipped through one channel, in order to preserve its identity. Eventually the question was referred for investigation to a committee consisting of Messrs. A. T. Howe, W. H. Mearns, A. E. D. Burdick, R. U. Hurford and the fieldman.

Mr. J. W. McGillivray and Mr. Oliver C. Evans were unanimously re-elected president and vice-president respectively. Mr. R. W. Brown being appointed honorary president. Directors: Vancouver Island, Messrs. H. E. Burdick, Royal Oak; Harold Price, Ganges; E. C. Hawkins, Crofton.

ROTARIANS HEAR ABOUT UNIVERSE

Unusual and Interesting Address Given by Mr. J. A. Pearce at Regular Meeting of Club

Yesterday Mr. J. A. Pearce, of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, spoke to members of the Victoria Rotary Club at their regular luncheon meeting, which was held at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Pearce conducted his hearers through a tremendous universe of the universes in space, and then brought them to earth with an argumentative dissertation upon "how insignificant we are."

Throughout Mr. Pearce's address, which was illustrated by a number of excellent lantern slides, the audience was impressed by the immensity of the universe and the wonder of a great galaxy of stars, floating at large.

Mr. Pearce, whose address was thoroughly enjoyed by the members present, and who was accorded a hearty vote of thanks, quoted distances ranging from 1,000 to 1,000,000 light years. Light from the sun, which was 93,000,000 miles away, took only eight minutes and twelve seconds to reach the earth. Simple mathematics would enable one to determine how long the light would travel in one light year, just a few million million miles.

Sailor Appears In Hotel After Believed Dead

LONDON, Nov. 28.—A Maltese fireman named Attard, supposed to have been drowned when the steamer Moisey was wrecked two days ago, created a sensation in the hotel at Milford Haven yesterday by a sudden appearance. He had remained secluded aboard the wreck until calmer water permitted him to scramble to shore over the great Milford Rock. His feat was considered a remarkable one.

By chance a retired naval officer in a motorboat spotted Attard on the rock and took him off, stiff with cold and almost exhausted.

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Two Missionaries Die

REV. DR. R. C. ARMSTRONG, of Japan, and Rev. J. C. Griffith, of Honan, who have died recently and commemorated by the executive of the United Church's Board of Foreign Missions at its annual meeting. Rev. Mr. Griffith was alone with the Chinese at his station when stricken, while Rev. Dr. Armstrong was completing his greatest missionary task. They were University of Toronto graduates and ranked high in mission councils.

Mayor Anscorb To Hold Public Meeting Tuesday

MAYOR Herbert Anscorb will give an account of his stewardship as the city's chief executive this year, at a public meeting which he has called for next Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock, in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

His Worship is offering all candidates running for civic offices the use of the platform, it being understood that the five retiring members of the council, who are seeking reelection, will speak immediately following the Mayor's address.

All candidates for the Council, School Board and Police Commission are requested by Mayor Anscorb to get in touch with him at his office in The Times building so that he will know how many propose to address the audience, and a time limit for each can be made.

FOUR APPEALS ARE REVIEWED

Zoning Board of Appeal Approves Three Applications and Defers Decision on Fourth

Four appeals were considered by the zoning board of appeal yesterday at its meeting in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, three of the applications being granted and no decision was made with respect to the fourth appeal.

A permit for the erection of a garage for eight cars in connection with the hotel was sought by the James Bay Hotel. The appeal board approved the request, subject to the garage being set back beyond the north boundary of Lot 1, and the garage being of satisfactory design.

Mrs. A. G. Mackay desired a permit for converting a twelve-roomed dwelling at 1321 Fairview Terrace into an apartment house. The application was approved.

Mr. Robert Rowan sought a permit to erect a stage depot on the south side of Belleville Street, between Douglas and Government Streets. Decision on this appeal was deferred in order to give counsel for the appellant an opportunity to restate his case before the board.

The board approved a licence for the carrying on of an antique business at 1162 Fort Street, provided that the place is continued as a high-class establishment solely for the purpose of antiques.

Campbell River Hotel Co. Seeks Water Rights

The Campbell River Hotel & Restaurant Company, which has its head office in Vancouver, is making application through the water branch of the Provincial Department of Lands for two sources of water supply. One is for a licence to take 5,000 gallons a day out of Hills Spring, and the permission to provide a reservoir near at hand capable of storing 100,000 gallons.

The City of Revelstoke is also making application to the controller of water rights for permission to take 225 cubic feet a second out of the Illecillewaet River, flowing into the Columbia River.

Blind Teacher Here To Teach Blind Pupils

Miss R. McKellar, home teacher for the Vancouver Institute operating under the auspices of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, is in the city this week with her guide, Miss L. M. Smith, for one of her periodical visits in connection with the teaching of the blind in Victoria. The enormous importance to those who have lost their sight of having the ability to read or engage in such occupations as book-keeping, bag-making and canning chairs is stressed by Miss McKellar, who is herself sightless. Here, then, is the advantage of lessons in reading by the Braille and Moon-type systems, and in the various handicrafts named, for it gives the afflicted ones a fresh interest in life, makes them more cheerful and helps them to assist themselves to social and economic conditions.

Miss McKellar has ten pupils in Victoria whom she visits once every four weeks for instructional purposes.

CHEW DEB SUES ON FIRE CLAIM

DAMAGES SOUGHT FROM GENERAL WILLOCK IN SUPREME COURT ACTION

Plaintiff Asserts That Fire Which Destroyed Wood He Had Cut Was Not Accidental

Hearing began yesterday in the Supreme Court of an action by Chew Deb, of Duncan, against Brigadier-General Willock, of Quamichan Lake. Plaintiff claims \$1,273 for loss of wood and tools destroyed in a fire which, he alleges, was intentionally started by defendant or his agents. An award of \$1,500 for general damages in connection with the same fire is also sought. Defendant alleges that the fire was accidental, and counterclaims for \$292, said to be due for unpaid stumpage. The case is proceeding before Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald.

Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., appearing for the plaintiff and Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., for the defendant. Two witnesses testified yesterday before the hearing was adjourned.

Chew Deb, the plaintiff, was the first witness called, and gave evidence as follows: In April, 1925, he had begun cutting stave bolts, cordwood and storewood on some three acres of the defendant's property, a few miles from Duncan, under an agreement whereby stumpage was to be paid to defendant. Cutting had ceased for the time being on about September 15, and on October 2 the wood, almost all in piles, was still on the lands. On that date he went to pay defendant an instalment on stumpage, and when he did so another proposed transaction had been discussed: the supply of firewood for the defendant's use. Defendant had been angered by plaintiff, and had ordered plaintiff to haul the latter's wood off the land within three days, threatening to set fire to it if this were not done.

AT THE FIRE

Witness further stated that on October 6, when in Duncan, he was told that a fire was attacking his wood. He had gone out there with Mr. Baynes and Mr. Fernihough. When they got there, they found defendant and another man setting fire to the piles of wood, using oil for the purpose. The tree tops and branches trimmed off in cutting the wood were still in the three-acre patch as well as the piles of wood. There was no other fire in the vicinity or running anywhere for miles around.

On cross-examination, Chew Deb said that he had been on trial in the Duncan police court on several occasions; once on a charge of selling liquor to an Indian woman and once on a charge of operating an illicit still. He said he had not been found guilty on any occasion. John Fernihough, called next to the witness stand, testified that on October 6 he had gone to the scene of the fire with plaintiff and Mr. Baynes and had found a number of piles of wood on fire. Each fire was a separate one. There was no fire running in the vicinity, he also said.

Further hearing of evidence was adjourned till this morning, when, it is expected witnesses for the defence will be heard.

Ethiopic Scripts Lure Toronto Men Into Abyssinia

TORONTO, Nov. 28.—Jealously guarded by monks for more than two thousand years, Ethiopic translations of the Old Testament are calling Rev. S. A. B. Mercer from his chair in Oriental languages and Egyptology at Trinity College, University of Toronto, to brave the dangers of Abyssinia. He will photograph the manuscript and return to the calm of Varity cloisters to use his prints of the ancient writing to enhance the world's knowledge of holy writ.

"I have conceived the notion of preparing a copy of the Coptic scripture from rotograves of the oldest manuscripts I can find," said Professor Mercer today. "While manuscripts of the Old Testament exist in Europe, they are of comparatively recent date, and many errors have crept into them. In study of the Old Testament use is now made of practically every language into which it has been translated except Ethiopic."

It is to supply this last link in the scholarship of biblical history that Professor Mercer will travel.

In 1916 he was made responsible for certain Abyssinian translations which brought him into touch with the Abuna, patriarch of the Abyssinian church. Upon the good will then built the adventurer states his bid for success in entering the monasteries, and on his journey he will be guarded by native soldiery from attacks of hostile tribes.

Sailing from New York on November 17, Professor Mercer will enter the second stage of his journey from Marseilles to North Africa on January 24. He carries a specially designed camera.

He: "Does Vera look her age?" She: "No, she overlooks it."

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A DOCTRINE OF DEFENCE

Mr. Mackenzie King's ideas on the tariff issue have created a clear-cut rift of public opinion in the Dominion. On the one hand, those ideas are generally satisfactory to Washington and to the people of the United States. The Montreal Gazette says that the viewpoint of the Prime Minister "could scarcely be more helpful to the Americans if it were inspired from American sources." There are two ideas in this country respecting national development. One is that Canadians should have a fair chance to compete in their own markets. The other—the idea entertained by Mr. King and his Government—is that nothing at all need be done in a fiscal sense so long as American tariffs do not make trade any worse than it is today. In other words, the present official viewpoint is that the Dominion need do nothing in the readjustment of tariffs for the promotion of its own industrial and economic development, and there is no promise whatever that anything will be done if the United States puts its proposed tariff increases into effect.

Despite a tremendous adverse balance of trade, from which Canada suffers in its economic relations with the United States, Mr. Mackenzie King says that all is well with the Dominion. He shuts his eyes to the fact that the Dominion buys more than twice as much from the United States as she sells to that country. He would have nothing done which in any sense might be regarded by the Americans as infringing on the prerogatives which they have created for themselves. He is willing to sacrifice some portion of the economic welfare of Canada rather than antagonize any influences or interests on the American side of the border. There is no such conception of an economic relationship entertained in the United States. Tariff legislation there is a matter of internal economy. It is devised to promote national prosperity. It is decreed to safeguard home markets for home producers. The viewpoint in Canada is given no consideration at Washington where the industrial welfare of the Americans is concerned.

Mr. King is not following a policy which commends itself to those who think most of the welfare of this Dominion. Apart altogether from any proposed raising of the tariff barriers on the American side the time is ripe for a readjustment of our own fiscal policy. The plain evidence of this rests in the fact that we are tending rapidly towards an adverse balance of trade in bulk, and already that adverse balance is pronounced and growing every year in our economic relationship with the United States. There is need, drastic need, for a policy which will safeguard our raw resources. There should be a considered plan for the development of intra-Empire trade. Mr. King, by his sterile economic outlook, has brought to the fore once again the issue of protection in a more emphatic way than it has ever impressed the people of this country since the enunciation of the National Policy by Sir John A. Macdonald. His Government has been tinkering with the tariff ever since it came into power. While other nations have been raising their tariffs he has been knocking down the barriers for the protection of Canadian industry brick by brick. His attitude in relation to the United States in economic matters is one of pusillanimity. He appears to forget that Canada can legislate in her own interests and still entertain every sentiment of good will towards the people of the neighboring country.

UNBELIEVABLE REPORT

According to a statement made by "Pertinax" in The Echo de Paris President Hoover of the United States, in the course of his discussions with Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, expressed a desire for the immediate abandonment of the naval bases of Halifax and Esquimaux. This story is published on the authority, as "Pertinax" claims, of a letter received from a representative of the British Embassy in Paris now traveling in the United States. The statement may or may not be true. The future of these bases is believed to have been discussed while Mr. MacDonald was at Ottawa. The unbelievable thing is that Mr. MacDonald should have interfered in matters which are purely Canadian concern, or that Mr. Hoover should have even discussed a subject which he should primarily have taken up through the Canadian Minister at Washington.

The Washington correspondent of The London Times regards the yarn as "simply unbelievable." He says, "there is no present discoverable tendency either in civilian or in Navy circles in the United States to attach to those bases or to the British stations in the Caribbean any such importance as would prompt the suggestion of their abandonment." The story is fantastic. Canada's navy does not enter into any scheme of limitations. It now stands as a navy at the irreducible minimum.

GREAT BRITAIN AND ARGENTINA

Soon after the British Labor Government went into office Mr. Philip Snowden, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, took occasion to say that the administration would not incline to preferential duties. Thus a discouraging note was sounded to the development of intra-Empire trade. Now comes news of an agreement reached between the British Government and Argentina for the development of trade between those two countries. It provides that British artificial silk goods will be admitted into Argentina at half the rate of duty imposed on like products from other countries. The quid pro quo is that should Great Britain in future impose any protective duties, or other restrictions on foodstuffs from countries outside the Empire, Argentina meats and cereals will be exempt from such duties.

An agreement of this character postpones the

time when the Empire can become self-supporting. It is a blow at the development of intra-Empire trade. Instead of reserving, as far as possible, the British market for foodstuffs produced in the Empire it gives specially favorable conditions for imports to Great Britain from a foreign country, conditions that are to maintain no matter what restrictions might be imposed against the foodstuffs of any other country outside the Empire. The agreement seems to be directed against the movement for greater trade between the different countries of the Empire, a tendency giving evidence of gathering impetus. What has been done for Argentina may conceivably be done for other foreign countries as well, or, at least, they will have the right to demand similarly favorable treatment. The trade agreement gives a slight on the character of the international trade policy of the Labor Government in Great Britain.

AN AUDITORIUM

There ought to be sufficient private enterprise and initiative in this city to build an auditorium without seeking financial assistance from the taxpayers. The City Council could help to the extent of providing a site, but there does not seem the slightest reason why it should do anything further. It has commitments now in the way of housing industries and the results of these should be fully determined in a satisfactory way before there are new preoccupations involving guarantees or capital expenditures, apart from enterprises that are of strictly routine character. The Chamber of Commerce, comprising the city's business men, has interested itself in the provision of an auditorium. The Victoria Music Festival Association, a strong organization, is also seeking such a facility. There are other interests also and a combined movement, with the launching of a company to secure the necessary funds, should be the outcome. It is an enterprise in which the two railway companies would undoubtedly give assistance, since such a convention hall would promote travel to the city.

The building of an auditorium is a matter for private enterprise. If it can be done as a community effort, through private investments, it will serve all the greater public interest. There is a definite need for such a building. The question to be considered in relation to it is the ability to use it on sufficient days and nights of the year to make the investment a paying one. Since there must be some uncertainty in this respect it is not a project in which the taxpayers' money should be pledged. The City Council, no doubt, is anxious to assist, and can do so if it has such land available as would be considered a desirable site. Further than granting a lease on such land at purely nominal terms it should not go. The present commitments in the way of housing industries have yet to fulfill the promises held forth at their inception. Until they do the taxpayers will not be favorable to any scheme for an auditorium which involves their corporate credit.

A new forest research institute, the largest in the British Empire, has been opened at Dehra Dun in India. That point has been a centre of scientific forest work since 1878. The new development comprises 1,200 acres, where, from a central institute, work is being carried out in silviculture, forest economy, forest entomology, forest botany and chemistry. The institute has cost \$4,250,000. In India the Forest Department makes an annual profit of \$13,750,000. It is one of the most remarkable forest services in the world; perhaps the best. One illustration of its efficiency was the destruction recently of an epidemic of boring insects in the Sal forests which had destroyed 5,500,000 trees.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., November 28, 1929.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES			
	Snow	Rain	Max.
Victoria	—	—	44
Nanaimo	—	—	45
Vancouver	—	—	44
Kamloops	—	—	34
Prince George	—	—	34
Estevan Point	—	—	44
Prince Rupert	—	—	44
Dawson	—	—	20
Seattle	—	—	44
Portland	—	—	44
San Francisco	—	—	58
Los Angeles	—	—	58
Spokane	—	—	28
Penitence	—	—	25
Vernon	—	—	33
Grand Forks	—	—	39
Nelson	—	—	27
Kaslo	—	—	32
Cranbrook	—	—	22
Calgary	—	—	22
Edmonton	—	—	20
Swift Current	—	—	18
Prince Albert	—	—	10
Qu'Appelle	—	—	2
Winnipeg	—	—	14

Victoria and Vicinity—Light, to moderate winds. Stationary or lower temperature.
 Vancouver and Vicinity—Generally fair and colder for several days.

THURSDAY
 Maximum 48
 Minimum 42
 Average 45
 Minimum on grass 40
 Bright sunshine, 2 hours, 6 minutes.
 General state of weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.40; calm; fair.
 Vancouver—Barometer, 30.38; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.
 Kamloops—Barometer, 30.48; wind, S.E., 4 miles; fair.
 Prince George—Barometer, 30.50; calm; cloudy.
 Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.42; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.
 Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.40; wind, S.E., 8 miles; cloudy.
 Tatoush—Barometer, 30.34; wind, N.E., 22 miles; clear.
 Portland—Barometer, 30.30; wind, N.E., 4 miles; cloudy.
 Seattle—Barometer, 30.36; wind, N.E., 6 miles; cloudy.
 San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

STOCK MARKET GAMBLING

Speculation, like games of chance, destroys the desire to work. It annihilates every effort which does not fit in with the desire to satisfy its craving. It does the least damage, although even then the loss is enormous, when the speculator is on the winning side. When the winds are against him it means utter desolation. Also, far too often the passions for speculation has destroyed for ever the faculty of being able to do an honest day's work. One has no longer the heart to work for a moderate profit when one makes a clean-up at a single stroke. Whatever can be said for speculation from the financial standpoint, it is inherently immoral.—Le Soleil (Quebec).

He that wants money, means and content is without three good friends.—Shakespeare

Note and Comment

By R. D. D.

The furious speculative fever which had been raging on Wall Street for several years has run its course and subsided, but it has left the patient in a rather weak and wan condition. It also has affected Canada to some extent, for it was "catching," could not be confined within the borders of the United States and could not be caught and quarantined at the border. But President Hoover says there is nothing fundamentally wrong with business in the United States and Mr. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King, who is not a business man and is a politician, has assured us that there is nothing fundamentally wrong with business in Canada, that there is no country in the world in a more promising position than Canada.

Still the President appears to think business in the United States would be the better of a tonic, while our Premier says Canada will get along very well without a tonic. Probably both are right. It is true the Canadian railways' traffic receipts have suffered a great decline of late, but that not altogether reassuring aspect of the business situation in Canada has nothing whatever to do with the late betting orgy on Wall Street. The fact that Great Britain, instead of buying good Canadian wheat at the price demanded by wheat growers and exporters, is buying cheap wheat from Argentina and wheat that is just as cheap from Germany (because the German Government is paying a bounty on it when exported), may have something to do with the case.

More than once have we been asked to explain why it is that the bread-eaters of Great Britain can buy their staff of life at so much lower prices than the bread-eaters of Canada, although Canada produces such immense quantities of wheat and has been the largest wheat-exporting country in the world. Cheap wheat imported from Argentina and wheat from Germany, and there may be a fractional part which we cannot explain. The people of Great Britain insist upon having cheap food, and they are not concerned about the effect their insistence may have upon the farming industry in Canada or at home. As we already have pointed out, as a result of the determination of the people of Great Britain to eat cheap food, about seven thousand British agricultural workers lost their jobs during the present year, have augmented the already large army of unemployed and "gone upon the dole."

From a strictly abstract point of view the most interesting feature of the business situation in the United States is the statement of the President that it is a theory, not a condition, that is at the root of the threatened depression. Other business authorities support the position of the President. They say the country is not suffering from an actual depression, real or threatened. It is affected by an "inferiority complex." The common people argue that there always has been a period of depression after a speculative or betting orgy on Wall Street. There has been a speculative and betting orgy for a prolonged period and of large proportions upon Wall Street, consequently a business depression is inevitable.

Such is the situation from a logical or psychological point of view. That is the point of view that must be overcome or submerged if business is to go on as usual. In order to restore confidence in the fundamental soundness of the business situation, the President has proposed that the Federal Government spend money without stint in building ships and in the construction of public works of various kinds, that the great captains of industry shall not reduce the wages of their employees, and that workmen shall refrain from strikes and make no attempts to increase their wages. The great captains of industry have undertaken to comply with the suggestions of the President, although confronted with the difficulty that in some cases there has been overproduction and that the demand for the products of their works has suffered a considerable decline.

The chief captain of industry actually had announced that instead of trying to reduce the wages of his employees he would increase the wages of his employees, but almost at the time the words of the assuring announcement were proceeding from his mouth, some of his factories had closed down and many of his workmen had been laid off. So that the psychological effect intended to be created was nipped in the bud by the practical effect of the situation. Conditions are in conflict with theories. The force of the fever is spent, but the patient is yet in a condition of convalescence, and restoration to sound health is a matter of time and patience.

As our readers know, our views occasionally differ from the views of Mr. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King; but when the Premier said that there was no country in the world at the present time in such a favorable business position as Canada, he said something with

which we are in complete accord. Canada at the present time has so many industrial irons in the fire that the temporary coldness of one special iron cannot seriously affect business in the aggregate.

Menu and Customs Are Strange at Chinese Dinner Party

(By a Chinese Correspondent)
 Christmas is not a Chinese festival and is almost discouraged by non-Christians in favor of Chinese New Year—a series of festivities in February. This is the time when you pay your year's debts if you can, sell your treasures for a song if you can't, pick them up for a song with accompaniment if you're an affluent foreigner, and do a half-year's tipping "at a go" on a scale which makes Boxing Day depredations seem puny.

But in Peking there is a good deal of entertaining done at this time of the year for foreigners. A lovely document on the straw-colored paper, columns of delicately-drawn characters, arrives. You call in the help of your teacher to translate. He tells you that the marks on the envelope have reference to your jade fingers and then that the invitation is for that very evening and finally that it requires no answer. The host will probably telephone later in the day to discover which of his guests are going to turn up! A cook's job in China is no sinecure! Arriving at the appointed hour, after a jolting rickshaw ride under the bright, wintry stars, you climb out of your nest of furs, go through a lantern-lit court, and begin a series of intricate encounters with your host and his other guests as to who shall go through doorways first and who sit where. When you are seated, pale green tea and sunflower seeds beguile the next hour or so, during which conversation, though discouraged, is not strenuously cultivated. The sunflower seeds you nip daintily with your front teeth at their pointed ends, and then suck out the kernel between finger and thumb, a process conducive to meditation. At last the guest of honor arrives; only then, it is said, do the cooks set to work.

A BOWL OF SHARKS' FINS
 More politenesses lead you to the tables, where it is correct to rub your chopsticks with a small piece of paper, provided for the purpose. We sit round a table covered with cold dishes, among them four of fruit, and such things as cold ham and salt eggs. But before they are touched our little cups are filled with warm rice wine. After awhile the host says "ch'i," which is "please," and the guest of honor lifts his chopsticks and helps himself. You serve yourself and pick out tasty morsels for your neighbor. Soon the most important of forty or more courses is served. It is sharks' fins appears in the middle of the table. It is a brown tangle of fronds, slightly glutinous and sticking to the unsophisticated palate like vermicelli. To welcome it the host invites us all to empty our tiny cups with the word "kan-pai" which recurs frequently during the feast. When you have drained your cup you display your empty cup rather in the "Betsy, drink fair, whatever you do!" spirit.

Silence is not thought impolite, and in the old days was encouraged as showing a proper appreciation of the food. One has a suspicion that they think us negligent in this respect. Talk is light and general rather than consecutive, and it is possible for a Chinese lady not to utter a word throughout the banquet without appearing to feel either ignored or embarrassed. There is plenty going on meanwhile; fried shrimps, pig's loins, sweetbreads and the like, all on the table in a rich display at once. If you are not used to the scene you will be thinking that the dinner must be drawing to a close, and that the host is only a kind of halfway mark. Then more "big bowls" are due—fish tripe, sea urchins, the brown sea slug, thin, crisp slices of duck's skin, wrinkled ducks' webs, or their tongues, cubes of bamboo and other mysteries, cold the table. Guests stretch out with chopsticks or spoons to help one another; frequent kam-pais enliven the party. Suddenly an enormous fish, swimming in a delicious sauce and the famous Peking duck, white, plump and tenderly afloat in a bouillon, are exhibited. At a touch from the host's chopsticks the breast of the duck drops into the bowl, and the guests are carried to the guests' bowls.

HABITS OF CHINA
 All this has not taken place without evidence of these transactions appearing on the tablecloth. Fragments and dripping cause no offence in China and wet chopsticks and spoons are quite correctly put down on the cloth. Now the rice bowls appear and the brown sea slug, thin, crisp slices of duck's skin, wrinkled ducks' webs, or their tongues, cubes of bamboo and other mysteries, cold the table. Guests stretch out with chopsticks or spoons to help one another; frequent kam-pais enliven the party. Suddenly an enormous fish, swimming in a delicious sauce and the famous Peking duck, white, plump and tenderly afloat in a bouillon, are exhibited. At a touch from the host's chopsticks the breast of the duck drops into the bowl, and the guests are carried to the guests' bowls.

You rise with a memory of a grave, attentive face bent critically above his spoon pausing before he sips with all an epicure's deliberation. Fine cooking in China is a matter quite beyond most foreigners' critical capacity. Rising, the men and women separate as they did before the dinner was served and jasmine scented tea will again be offered. But very soon the portly, smiling, long-gowned men will rise and the exquisitely fragile women will follow suit. As they hold out their small slim hands the perfection of their person strikes you again. They have a finish, a surface, a manner which makes the most graceful European look clumsy beside them. Our large bones make us at times seem positively loutish. But it is difficult to get these consummately-groomed persons and those table customs, the communal bowl and bedoulied tablecloth, into the same perspective. So it is always in China; there

Jots From Geography



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 Invocation by chaplain of lodge.
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 Soprano solo, selected, Mrs. Thomas R. Bowden.
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 Tenor solo, selected, Mr. Thomas Kelway.
 Hymn, "Nearer, My God, To Thee."
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Wolves Range on Heights Around Federal Capital

HULL, Que., Nov. 28.—Wolves continue to roam in large packs in the Templeton district of the Gatineau Hills, within view of Canada's Parliament Buildings. The marauders this fall feasted on 106 sheep from among the flocks owned by Templeton farmers. It was revealed at a meeting last night of the district Association for the Protection of Fish and Game. A resolution was adopted requesting the Quebec Government to increase the bounty on wolves.

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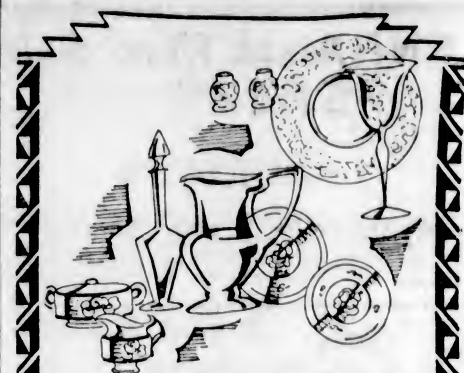
By Aline Michaelis

SIMPLE THINGS
 Long may I treasure simple joys
 And keep to simple things;
 Delight in rain-drenched poplar trees
 And thrill at robins' wings.
 Long may I find a swift release
 From every care and dread,
 Where green waves tumble up the beach,
 Blind sky bends overhead.
 For those who leave the quiet paths
 To tread life's crowded ways,
 And batter peace for fame and gold,
 Go restless all their days.
 Desires lead them on and on,
 Ever thirsting, they sigh
 To drain new cups of happiness,
 Yet taste, and pass them by.
 Ah, lightly, lightly would they hold
 Night skies and thrush's song,
 But I, who treasure simple things,
 Ask but to love them long!

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, November 29, 1879)

At last the rival and conflicting interests in the various telephone patents have been harmonized, and as far as we can learn, Prof. Bell is master of the situation. In the near future the telephone is destined to play as important part as a medium of rapid communication.
 The electric light will soon be utilized for marine purposes, and the danger of collision with icebergs or reefs thereby reduced.
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CITY WATER PROPOSITION ACCEPTABLE

Councillors of Oak Bay Municipality Defer Final Action for Solicitor's Report

BUS LINE REQUESTS EXCLUSIVE RIGHTS

The Oak Bay Council discussed the proposed water agreement with the City of Victoria at the meeting held in the Council Chamber of the Municipal Hall last evening. While accepting the agreement in principle, as it was only received at the hall yesterday, the council deferred final action until the solicitor for the municipality has had an opportunity of examining it. The agreement provides that the price to be paid by the Municipality of Oak Bay to the City of Victoria for water to be furnished from and including January 1, 1930, up to and including December 31, 1937, a period of eight years, shall be seven and a half cents per thousand gallons.

For the revision of the voters' list, Reeve Hayward, with Councillors Goodlake and Paterson, will constitute the court, which is to be held on Tuesday, December 10.

Considerable time was occupied by the councillors in discussing zoning matters and certain correspondence from the Blue Line Taxi. A number of applications for an exclusive franchise over certain streets in the municipality. The councillors were not disposed to grant the request, and deferred the matters of bus operation and zoning for further consideration, the committee of the whole council to deal with both matters later.

Minor improvements on Satellite Street were authorized, a quantity of rock to be removed and used for surfacing the same street. A number of the usual requests for street light, sidewalk and road repairs were also disposed of.

Obituary

STEWART—The death occurred at an early hour yesterday morning, at the family residence, 614 Craigflower Road, of Mrs. Emily Stewart, beloved wife of Alexander Stewart, aged sixty-four years. She was born in Staffordshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last eighteen years. She is survived by her husband, five sons, T. Taylor and A. Taylor, of England; R. Taylor, of Vancouver; J. Taylor, of this city, and N. Taylor, in Seattle; three daughters, Mrs. A. Baker and Mrs. N. McDowell, of Seattle, and Mrs. W. Harbinson, of Victoria, and two brothers in England. The funeral will take place on Saturday, at 3:15 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. S. Patterson will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

POWELL—Many attended the funeral yesterday in respect to the late Mrs. Powell. Relatives and a very large gathering of sympathizing friends attended the funeral, which took place at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and the many beautiful flowers testified to the high esteem in which she was held. Rev. Dr. Clem Davies officiated and the hymns sung were "Nearer My God, to Thee" and "Abide With Me." Messrs. H. N. Wright, W. Ellis, J. C. Hocking, H. G. Mulliner and E. Raybone and Dr. C. A. Kelly were the pallbearers, and the remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

BARBOUR—A large number of friends attended the funeral service of the late Mrs. William Barbour, which was held in McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel on Thursday evening. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., assisted by Rev. Bruce G. Gray, conducted the service, during which the hymns "Abide With Me" was sung, also "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" was sung as a solo by Mrs. William Wright, after which the cortege proceeded to the C.P.R. wharf, the remains being forwarded on the midnight boat to Hillsburg, Ontario, where interment will be made in the family plot. The following elders of the First United Church were the pallbearers: Messrs. J. Strang, J. S. Conibear, A. McKeachie, D. McKillop, J. Wallace, W. Strath, G. McGregor and J. H. Schroeder.

STARK—The funeral for the late Robert Geoffrey Stark, who passed away in this city on Monday, November 25, was held on Thursday afternoon, the cortege proceeding from the S. J. Gurney & Son Funeral Home to Christ Church Cathedral, where Rev. J. W. Leighton officiated. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. M. Sutton, J. B. Acland, T. M. Hughes and H. Edwards. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MALDEN—The remains of the late Baby Joseph Malden are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Dr. Clem Davies will officiate. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

COURTNEY—The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Jane Courtney, a well-known pioneer resident of Victoria, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in Ross Bay Cemetery, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock. Rev. P. A. Ramsey officiated in the presence of a large number of friends, including many old-timers. The hymn sung was "Peace, Perfect Peace." The profusion of beautiful flowers covering the casket and hearse conveyed a message of sympathy. The pallbearers were: Messrs. J. C. Collison, W. S. Fraser, William C. Moresby, Fred C. Elliot, E. C. Hayward and Dr. O. H. Haynes.

BURTON—The funeral of the late William Henry Burton, a resident of Victoria for the past thirty-eight years, took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. Rev. E. Mose officiated. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me." Among the large gathering of friends attending was a delegation

Written by "Tay Pay"


 Star Building
 Penicillier St.
 London, E.C. Nov 20 1929

 Dear Sir
 The subject of your letter will receive my very careful attention when Mr. Atherley Jones moves on the matter.
 Yours very truly
 J. P. O'Connor

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THE note reproduced here was written by the late T. P. O'Connor to W. J. W. Drummond, a fellow-Irishman, forty-one years ago, when "Tay Pay" was sitting in the editorial chair of The Star, a London publication and one of his early journalistic enterprises. The "subject" referred to is the Irish question, and the Mr. Atherley Jones mentioned was then an obscure member of Parliament, who later became well known as Judge Jones. Mr. Drummond thirty years ago settled in Toronto, and died two weeks ago, at the age of eighty-one.

from the Sons of St. George Lodge. Many beautiful floral designs were placed on the casket and hearse. The pallbearers were as follows: Messrs. J. Salisbury, Reginald Gerrard, G. Chandler, B. Salisbury, R. Gerrard, and G. Gerrard, all members of the Sons of St. George Lodge. The remains were laid in their last resting place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Will Decide How Library Fund Is To Be Allocated

VANCOUVER, Nov. 28.—Dr. Frederick Koppel, president of the Carnegie Corporation, who is returning from Kyoto, where he was one of the United States delegates to the Institute of Pacific Relations, will confer with the Provincial Government and the Library Commission upon the utilization of the \$100,000 allocated to British Columbia by the Carnegie Corporation for establishment of the county system of libraries in three regions of this province. Dr. Koppel will be in the province on December 2 and 3.

Shipbuilding in Norway is now expanding more rapidly than at any time since the Great War.

FREE

The NEW 50c Colgate Toothbrush

(Designed by Colgate Department of Dental Education)

GIVEN AWAY

to each purchaser of

Two 25c Tubes of Colgate Ribbon Dental Cream

\$1.00 value for 50c

THE OFFER: To induce still more people to try Ribbon Dental Cream... we make this remarkable offer. Only Colgate... world's largest maker of tooth paste... could finance such a proposition.

There is no "catch" to this offer. Colgate simply wants you to try Ribbon Dental Cream. To repay you for doing this, we offer you a genuine new Colgate Toothbrush... value 50 cents... ABSOLUTELY FREE!

The brush

This toothbrush—the newest, most advanced type known to dental science—was designed by the Colgate Department of Dental Education... a group of dentists who have studied the needs of thousands of men, women and children.

Examine this brush. Study its shape, its size, its bristles. It is made by skilled workers... under the most sanitary conditions... from selected, imported snow-white bristles of finest quality. Every brush is carefully inspected. Handles are of lovely, transparent material, in 5 exquisite shades of green, purple, amber. Bristles are inset by a unique process that holds them in a vice-like grip.

This brush is identical in quality, in size, in durability to nationally advertised brushes that sell regularly in better stores at 50 cents. Now yours FREE with this unique offer.

The dentifrice

Colgate's Ribbon Dental Cream is the world's largest-selling tooth paste. More people use it... and more dentists recommend it... than any other dentifrice.

The reason for this is simply that Colgate's cleans teeth better. Colgate contains the world's best cleansing agent—a penetrating foam that cleanses where the toothbrush cannot reach.

Your dentist will tell you that decay doesn't start on the smooth outer surfaces of the teeth... but in the tiny crevices where food particles and mucus collect. No ordinary toothbrush can reach these hard-to-clean places. They must be cleansed by the dentifrice.

Hence the real test of a tooth paste is its ability to get down into these crevices and cleanse them thoroughly. A recent scientific test proved that Colgate's has a greater penetrating power than any of the leading tooth pastes on the market today. This is the secret of Colgate's superior cleansing power.

The foam of Colgate's carries a fine chalk powder... a polishing material prescribed by dentists... which polishes the enamel safely, brilliantly.

The Colgate method of scientific tooth brushing

After years of study and thousands of experiments, the Colgate Method of scientifically cleansing the teeth has been developed by the Colgate Dept. of Dental Education.

This method is most effective when Ribbon Dental Cream is brushed on with the Colgate Brush. For the springy, serrated bristles, set at exactly the right distance, act in a way that applies the full, concentrated cleansing power of the famous Colgate foam... deep down into the "hard-to-clean" places. Only thus can you be

sure you are cleaning these difficult spots where decay lurks.

Start today to use the Colgate Method of Scientific Tooth Brushing... and note the difference in your teeth ten days hence.

NOTE!

This offer is strictly limited. The supply of brushes has been rigidly allotted to the stores which are co-operating in this great offer. They will not last long... once people read this announcement. Thousands of men and women, realizing that when Colgate makes such a proposition, it is worth grasping at once, will hurry to the stores and get their brushes. Many will lay in a supply for the whole family... So, act NOW!

295

This Offer Is Good Only in the Selected Stores Listed Below

 AARONSON'S DRUG STORE,
 1056 Fort Street.

 BOWES' DRUG STORE, 1121
 Government Street.

 FERNWOOD PHARMACY, 1923
 Fernwood Road.

 HILL'S DRUG STORE, 2601
 Douglas Street.

 HILLSIDE PHARMACY, Corner
 Hillside and Quadra.

 HISCOCKS & CLEARHUE, 627
 Yates Street.

 HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY,
 Victoria.

 JAMES BAY PHARMACY, 202
 Menzies Street.

 H. S. MAGUIRE, 414 Craigflower
 Road.

 MERRYFIELD & DACK, 757
 Yates Street.

 MacFARLANE DRUG COM-
 PANY, 1327 Douglas Street.

 TERRY'S DRUG STORE, Fort
 and Douglas Streets.

 F. J. WILLIAMS, 1023 Govern-
 ment Street.

TOY PARADE TO BE HELD TOMORROW

Nursery Heroes and Heroines Will March in Procession to Meet Santa Claus

The thrill of seeing alive, and parading through the streets, all the delightful heroes and heroines of the nursery and the "funny" Dinky, swat, Victoria children, tomorrow morning ogres and clowns, wooden soldiers, Indians, fairies, the pig that sat on a velvet cushion, John Bull, Marjory Daw, and a host of other familiar folk, will march in a procession from the top of Yates Street down to Douglas, thence via Belleville to the Causeway to meet Santa Claus on his arrival in the Inner Harbor.

For two or three years past a similar procession has paraded the streets, but always, hitherto, with Santa Claus a principal figure. This year, it is understood, he cannot arrive here in time to start with the parade, but is limiting his trip so that he can alight in the Inner Harbor about 10:30 a.m. and join the procession when it reaches the Causeway and proceed with it up Government Street to Messrs. David Spencer Limited. Here, as usual, he will make his headquarters until Christmas.

The procession will form at the Central School at 10 o'clock, its route thence being down Yates to Douglas, along Douglas and past the Crystal Garden to Belleville, Belleville to Government, Government to View and Messrs. David Spencer Limited.

Following is the order of the procession: Herald; Union Jack bearer; Canadian Ensign bearer; wooden soldiers; Mr. Cox's band; giant cow; carrot; corn; float, "Puss in Boots"; clowns; Jiggs and Maggie; Daughter and Dinky; float, "Village Green"; clown beetles; Love - a Duck; Gordon School Band; Andy Gump; Mutt and Jeff; float, "Peter Pan"; clowns; giant lizard (Mr. Trachadour); Siwash, Tillicum; float, "Ten Little Nigger Boys"; clowns; elephant; clowns; horse; ogre and wife; float, "Jack and the Bean Stalk"; clowns; penguins; Old Mother Hubbard; float, "Monkey House" (Quadrana Brothers); clowns; white bear; clowns; ladies; float, "The House That Jack Built"; clowns; Scotchman, John Bull, Irishman, Welshman; float, "Marjory Daw"; clowns; quaint ladies; giant pig and Irish children; Veterans' Band; geese, turkeys, clowns; float, "Santa's Cloud Boat"; clowns.

DIES FROM INJURIES

OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—William Waterson, aged ninety-eight, died in hospital last night of injuries sustained when the automobile in which he was riding was struck by a Canadian National freight train at a level crossing on Friday last.

A Sale of
Smart Trimmed Hats
 Values to \$10.00
\$3.95 and \$6.95

Two groups of very attractive hats in the authentically correct small, close-fitting off-the-face effects. All the popular colors included at these drastically reduced prices.

Fur-Trimmed Coats

 VALUES
 TO \$49.50
 TODAY

\$35.50

New Printed Velvet Dresses

New, lovely colors in the correct full-length silhouette. The quality of material is infinitely finer than could ordinarily be provided at this reduced price.

\$29.50

Nine of These Raincoats

Formerly \$12.00 Each

\$4.95

A specially priced clearance of Raincoats. Colors red, green, blue and black.

 728-730
 Yates St. **Scurrah's** Phone 3983

FATAL HOTEL FIRE
 KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 28.—One man was killed and two injured in a fire that badly damaged the Holland House, an apartment hotel at Fourteenth and Central, here early today. About forty persons were rescued from second and third story windows by firemen.


SAVE 50 CENTS

The Colgate brush has amazing penetrating, cleansing power... because the bristles are scientifically serrated... tufted... to get into the tiny crevices and hard-to-reach places where the ordinary toothbrush fails to penetrate.

Brush teeth with this up-and-down motion. Advise dentists. The new Colgate Toothbrush was specially designed to make this action doubly effective. Do not brush directly across the teeth.

When you brush your teeth on the inside, use an in-and-out stroke. Note how well the firm bristles invigorate the gums.

Kirkham's Money Savers

Fraser Valley Pure Jam, 4-lb. tins. All kinds, including strawberry. Take your choice at **44c**Extra Choice Quality New Zealand Butter, per lb. **45c**
3 lbs. **\$1.25**Quaker Corn, 2 tins **27c**
Mack's Best Tomatoes, choice pack, 3 tins **35c**
Reception Tender Green Beans, 2 tins **31c**Pure Tomato Catsup, reputed quart bottles, new pack, net bottle **25c**Armour's Corned Beef, regular 25c tins **19c**
Nabob Tea, lb. **53c**
Eagle Brand Lobster, 1/2 lb. tins **38c**
New Mixed Peel, lb. **25c**
Demerara Sugar, 3 lbs. **25c**Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sacks **44c**
King Oscar Sardines, large tins, 2 for **29c**
Clark's Tomato Soup, 3 tins for **25c**Finest Seedless Raisins, 3 lbs. **31c**Holsum Macaroni or Spaghetti, regular 15c packets, 2 for **23c**Monogram Toilet Paper, 8 rolls in a pkt. for **25c**Christie's Best Assorted Biscuits, a regular 50c line, sealed cartons for **35c**Chocolate Peanut Crisp, regular 40c lb. for **27c**
Neilson's Large Jersey Milk Chocolate Bars, regular 25c for **19c**
Old English Humbugs, regular 40c lb. for **27c**Christie's Assorted Snaps, per packet **5c**
Real Fresh Ginger Snaps, regular 25c lb. for **19c**
Red Arrow Cream Sodas, large packet **20c**1 Dozen Lemons **.30**
1 Dozen Oranges **.35**
1 Dozen Grapefruit **.25**
1 Dozen Bananas **.40**Sweet Oranges, dozen **20c**
3 dozen for **57c**
Texas Grapefruit, 4 for **25c**
King Apples, per box **\$1.25**
Fresh Dates, 3 lbs. **25c**Jap Oranges, per box **90c**
California Soft Shell Walnuts, No. 1, per lb. **31c**
New Comb Honey, each **29c**
Jonathan, Wagener and Winter Bananas Apples, 4 lbs. **25c**Today for **99c**6 lbs. Potatoes **.25**
6 lbs. Onions **.25**
6 lbs. Turnips **.25**
1 stick Celery **.10**Today **69c**California Lettuce, 2 for **25c**
Fresh Celery, each **15c**
and **10c**Picnic Hams, per lb. **22c**
Cottage Rolls, per lb. **20c**Mild Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece cut, per lb. **34c**
Home-Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb. **35c**
Home-Cooked Corned Beef, sliced, per lb. **28c**Kirkham's De Luxe Quality Minced Meat, 2 lbs. for **35c**Finest Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb. **45c**
Or 3 lbs. for **\$1.32**

PER LB., 25c—FRESH-KILLED FOWL—PER LB., 25c

New Zealand Lamb **22c**
Shoulders, lb. **25c**
Loins, lb. **34c**
Legs, lb. **34c**Local Lamb **25c**
Shoulders, lb. **37c**
Legs, lb. **37c**Grain-Fed Pork **21c**
Shoulders, lb. **27c**
Legs, lb. **27c**Pure Pork Sausage, lb. **25c**
Roasting Chicken, lb. **45c**Eastern Haddie Fillets, lb. **18c**
Fresh Filleted Cod, lb. **18c**Choice Quality Beef **25c**
Sirloin or T-Bone Roasts, lb. **35c**
Choice Oven Roasts, lb. **25c**
Pot Roasts, lb. **18c**
Chopped Beef Suet, 2 lbs. for **30c**Milk-Fed Veal **20c**
Shoulders, lb. **20c**
Stewing Veal, lb. **15c**
Rumps of Veal, lb. **30c**
Fillets of Veal, lb. **38c**
Light Fowl, lb. **25c**

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U.S. LEGATION OUT ON STRIKE

Minister at Ottawa and All of Staff Resign Because of Parsimonious Treatment Received

SALARY DOES NOT COVER EXPENSES

By THOMAS WATLING (Copyright, 1929.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—The United States, having kept its diplomatic representatives abroad in a state of genteel poverty, has lost the whole of its Ottawa Legation staff. The minister, the counsellor, the first secretary have all resigned completely from the American Foreign Service.

The minister, Hon. William Phillips, resigned chiefly for family reasons, but intertwined with those reasons was the one great reason that he had no home to bring his family of five children to Washington. Phillips had a residence in the city two years ago, but has not built it yet, much less a residence for its minister.

Mr. Phillips has persistently advocated a revision of the American pay and allowances which have been driven from the United States Foreign Service the men who have not independent means. Frederick Dolbear, the counsellor, and Major Dorsey Newson, the first secretary, have resigned directly because their remuneration was insufficient to enable them to uphold their positions much less maintain a family and put something away for a rainy day.

The retiring minister is a man of independent means. Mrs. Phillips' mother was an Astor, so that the financial aspects of the situation have not given them personal worry. For a great many years they have been paying out generously in their country's service, the country being too poverty-stricken to pay its foreign officials sufficient to maintain them.

The wealthy United States has been paying its minister to Ottawa \$10,000 a year, with no living allowance, no expenses, no entertaining allowance; not even traveling allowance. When Mr. Phillips goes out of town to deliver an address to help cement the good feeling between Canada and the United States he foots the bill himself.

The minister himself is naturally reticent as to these gifts. He has been making to Washington. He must cost him from \$30,000 to \$50,000 a year more than his salary. He has had to live in furnished houses, and furnished houses come very high in Ottawa; anywhere from \$3,000 to \$5,000 a year for rent alone, to say nothing of butler and cook, chauffeur and maid. Dinner parties are costly affairs, and a single dinner might cost anywhere from \$200 to \$400. A great deal of entertaining must be done. There are no allowances from Washington for these things, though they are all directly attributable to the minister's service for his country.

When Ambassador to Belgium, Mr. Phillips received \$17,500, this being the American remuneration for all its ambassadors. In a few capitals, as in London and Paris, Washington provides an embassy building or a legation. Plans have been drawn up for a legation in Ottawa and a site bought, but two years have passed and the old brick buildings still stand on the site. In the meantime Canada housed and equipped her minister to Washington in excellent style.

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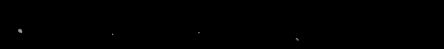
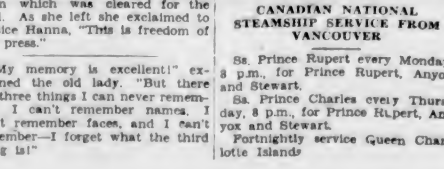
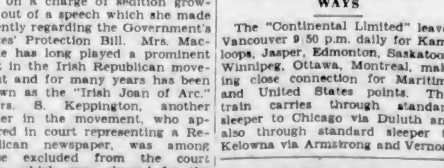
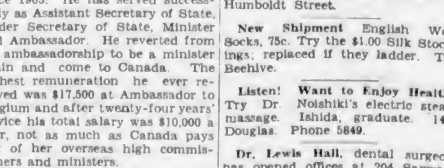
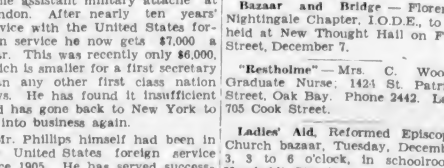
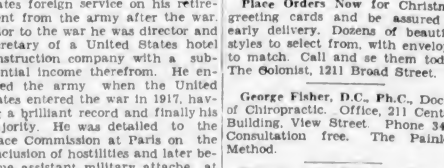
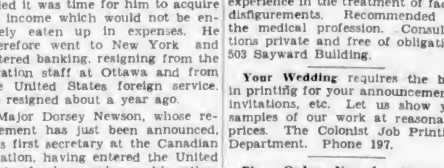
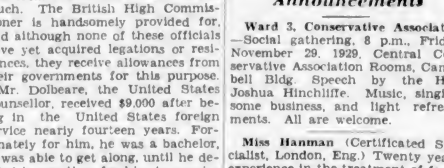
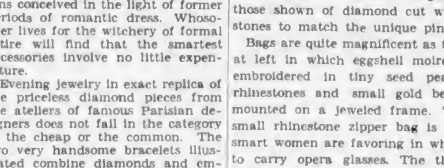
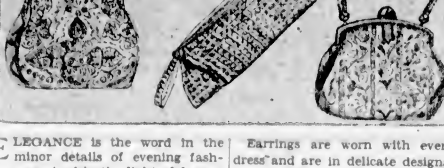
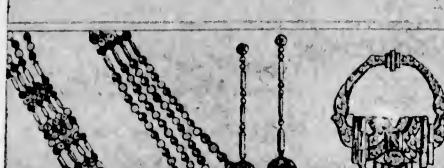
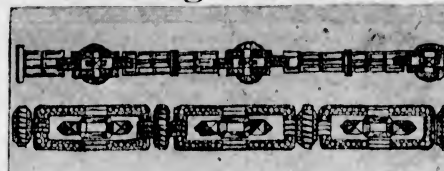
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Evening Accessories



City & District

Bank Clearings—Clearings for the week ending yesterday were \$2,470,875, compared with \$2,409,022 in the corresponding week of 1928.

Claim Disallowed—In the County Court yesterday, Judge Lampman dismissed the claim made by Mr. William R. Scaife against Mrs. Edith M. Macdonald for wages. Judgment was reserved on the counter claim for damages.

Falls Down Steps—When he fell down the steps of the Salvation Army Hotel, Johnson Street, last night about 9:20 o'clock, Louie Barrett, a roomer, sustained a bad cut over his left eye. Constable Woodburn, of the city police, attended and rendered first aid.

Medical Men Confer—A small delegation representing the British Columbia Medical Men's Association waited upon the Government yesterday afternoon and discussed matters relative to the profession. During the discussion no specific recommendations were made by the delegation, which included Dr. Proctor and Dr. McKay, of Vancouver; Dr. M. J. Keys, of Victoria, and Dr. D. Corson, of Fernie.

To Speak to Engineers—Premier Toime has been invited to address the members of the Association of Professional Engineers at their dinner tomorrow evening at the Hotel Georgia, Vancouver. The dinner is held in connection with the annual meeting. Speakers will include Mr. C. P. Browning, the well-known mining engineer; Mr. A. S. Wootton, retiring president, and Mr. W. R. Bonycastle, the president-elect.

Hit by Car—Harold Piggott, ten, sustained a cut lip and was shaken up when he was knocked down by a car on Fort Street last night shortly after 10 o'clock. Dr. C. W. Duck attended the injured boy at the scene of the accident. Mr. P. J. Hall, 2525 Cranmore Road, the driver of the car, was proceeding east at the time of the mishap. After medical attention had been rendered he took the boy to his home.

UNDER THE CLOCK
City Hall Activities in Brief

Mayor Anson and Alderman Marchant will represent the city at the dinner which the board of trustees of the Victoria Public Library and the British Columbia Library Survey Council will tender in honor of Dr. Frederick Paul Koppel, president of the Carnegie Corporation of New York, on Monday night, at 7:15 o'clock, at the Empress Hotel.

Permits issued by City Building Inspector James Barf at the City Hall yesterday included one to Rithet's Consolidated, Limited, for repairs to its warehouse at 1117 Wharf Street, which was damaged by fire at an early hour last Friday morning. Mr. H. Thirkell is the contractor in charge of the work, which will cost \$1,500.

A special meeting of the City School Board will take place this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, at the City Hall. A report by Mr. George H. Deane, municipal schools inspector, will be among the matters of business considered by the trustees.

Mr. W. P. Marchant, who was recently appointed by the City Council a member of the Zoning Board of Appeals, succeeding Mr. J. H. Doughty-Davies, attended his first meeting of the appeal board yesterday, and was warmly greeted by Chairman D. D. McTavish and Mr. Frederick Landsberg, the other members of the body.

Mayor Anson met yesterday at the meeting of the City Council next Monday night will commence at 9 o'clock instead of the usual hour of 8 p.m.

The settlements reached by Mayor Anson, representing the city of Victoria, and Reeve Crouch, on behalf of Saanich Municipality, with respect to Saanich's account with the Victoria Public Library of \$1,525.32 for library services for the first five months of this year, will be considered by the board of trustees of the Victoria Public Library at its meeting at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Robert Connell, president of the board, will preside.

Suspend Engine
And Train Crew
During Inquiry

EDMONTON, Nov. 28.—Pending a full investigation, the train and engine crew of Canadian National Railway freight No. 403, which, while westbound, crashed into an eastbound freight, just west of Jasper, on Tuesday afternoon, will be suspended. This accident took a toll of two lives, Engineer Dave Watkins, of Jasper, and Fireman Edward Bragge, formerly of this city.

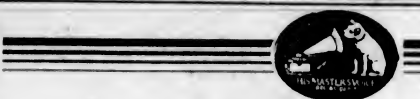
Mr. A. A. Tisdale, general manager of the C.N.R. lines in the western region, announced the suspension this morning. He is here with other officials in the course of an inspection tour of the Prairie provinces.

SERVICE AT COLWOOD
Service will be held in St. John's Church, Colwood, on Sunday at 11 a.m., followed by celebration of Holy Communion.First boy (boasting): "My pa's got a wooden leg."
Second boy: "Huh! Dat ain't nothin'; my sister's got a cedar chest."USE
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Child's Knife, Fork and Spoon, Reg. \$2.00, Sale, 99c	English Jam Dishes, with spoon, Reg. \$2.50, Sale, 99c
Jewel Boxes, Reg. \$3.00, Sale, 99c	English Brooches, Reg. \$3.00, Sale, 99c
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Cigarette Cases, Reg. \$2.25, Sale, 99c	Desk Calendar, Reg. \$1.50, Sale, 99c

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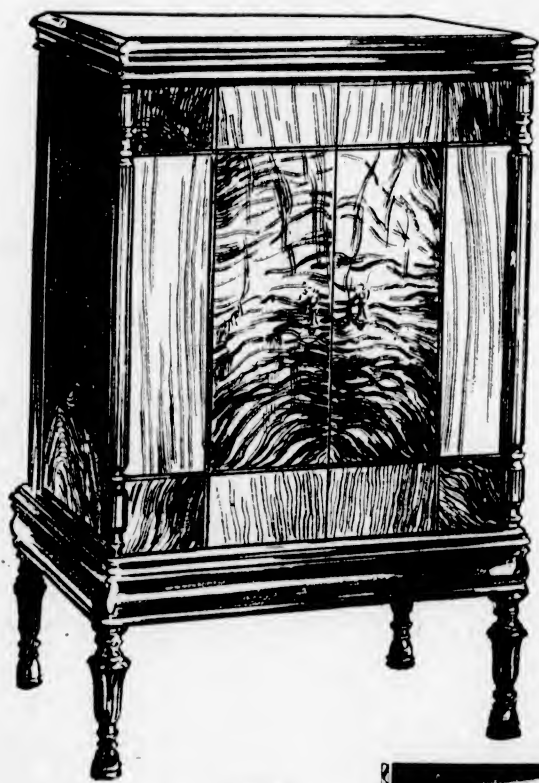
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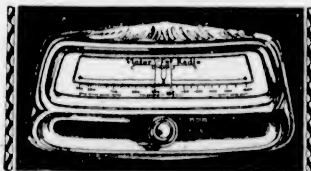
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DR. INGRAM VISITS FAMOUS HOSTELRY

The Bishop of London recently attended the "Opening of Ye Olde Cheshire Pudding Season of Ye Olde Cheshire Cheese, Fleet Street," and cut the first slice.

"I regard the Old Cheshire Cheese," Dr. Ingram declared a little later, "as a good pull-up for bishops. But I do hope the management will not use this as an advertisement on a board outside! I like to think of the character-istics of old London and to watch how they are maintained today. Old

London had

"An enormous appetite (vide this evening's portion of the pudding). Now, if we have not so great an appetite, we try to maintain our health."

"Good fellowship."

"The note of religion. Dr. Johnson, to whom joking reference is always

made on these occasions, was a deeply religious man. "I hope Londoners will always carry on such traditions of old London—and may the Old Cheshire Cheese flourish for ever!"

The late Mr. Bram Stoker, Sir Henry Irving's secretary, friend, and

biographer, while traveling from Chicago to Detroit with a Lyceum company, declined to accede to the request of a reporter who wanted to board the company's special train in order that he might write a description of Irving endurable. Nevertheless, the article appeared, and thus the reporter revengefully de-

scribed Mr. Stoker—"An individual called Bram Stoker, who seems to occupy some anomalous position between a secretary and a valet, whose manifest duties are to see that there is mustard in sandwiches, and to take the dogs for a run, and who unites in his own person every vul-

garity of the English-speaking race!" A clergyman who was also a wit, once preached rather a long sermon from the text. "Thou art weighed in the balance and art found wanting."

After his congregation had listened for about an hour, some began to weary and went out. Others soon followed, greatly to the annoyance of the minister. Another person started, where-upon the parson stopped in his sermon and said: "That's right, gentlemen, as fast as you are weighed, pass out." And the others waited until the sermon was ended.

Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Entertains at Tea
Mrs. F. P. Burden, wife of the Minister of Lands, entertained yesterday afternoon at her home in Craigdarroch, her guests numbering 150. She was assisted by Mrs. B. L. Howe, Mrs. F. O. Green, Mrs. J. K. Cornwall and Mrs. R. W. Tyhurst, and the following assisted in serving tea: Misses Carol Tolmie, Margaret and Ethel Loughhead, Alvin Bruhn, Isobel McKenzie, Inga Andersen, of Prince George, Pamela Winslow, Jean Galloway, Peace and North Cornwall, Winnifred and Noel Ferguson, Margaret Green, Patty Carney and Pat Burden. The tea table was centered with silver vases of deep pink carnations and fern and green candles in silver candlesticks.

From Auckland
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett and Miss Bennett, of Auckland, N.Z., are staying at the Empress Hotel.

From New Zealand
Mr. Hugh Bakewell, of Christchurch, New Zealand, is a guest at the Glenahel Hotel.



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Tea Hostess
Mrs. A. E. Hodgins entertained a few friends at tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Fairfield Road, in honor of Mrs. Empson, of London, Eng., who is a guest at the Empress Hotel and who will leave next week for California.

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Back from Manitoba

Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Neill, of the St. John Martin Harvey company, are registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. Robert L. Alexander, Oscar Street, has returned from Neepawa, Man.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. May Goff entertained with three tables of bridge last evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. Stranman, 'Upstairs' in honor of Miss Mary Thomas, of England, who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake, and of Mrs. A. L. Harvey, of Montreal. The guests included Mrs. Sydney Barker, Mrs. Colin Donald, Miss Dorothy Merrick, Miss Inez Ker, Miss Ruth Jones, Miss Helen Strathfield, Miss Helen Wilson, Miss Norma Macdonald, Miss Marjorie Stirling and Miss Marjorie Oates.

Presentation Made

Following the closing of the Victoria Public Library on Wednesday evening, Mrs. Beth Collins, whose marriage will take place on December 2, was presented with a pair of beautiful silver earrings by Miss M. Clay on behalf of the library staff. The Library Board has presented Miss Collins with a handsome linen tablecloth and one dozen table napkins in honor of her approaching marriage.

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Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. S. Reekie, of Vancouver, announce the marriage in Seattle on November 20, of their daughter, Eva Scott, to Mr. Clarence Conant Josselyn, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Josselyn, of Tacoma, Mr. and Mrs. Josselyn will be "at home" to their friends after February 1 at "Onop Bob," Eatonville, Wash.

Farewell Tea

Miss Louise Harty, a well-known artist from Southern California, who has been the guest of Mrs. Fred Spencer for the past month, was entertained at a farewell tea yesterday afternoon at the Beach Hotel by Mrs. Fred Spencer, Mrs. Sidney Wood, Mrs. Duncan Baines, Mrs. P. Sinnott, Mrs. John Jenkins, Mrs. W. J. Bonavia, and Mrs. Mitchell.

Entertains at Luncheon

Mrs. F. H. Stirling and Miss Marjorie Stirling entertained a few friends at tea yesterday afternoon at their home on Terrace Avenue in honor of Miss Mary Thomas, of England.

Bridge Tea Given

Mrs. Curtis Sampson entertained at a bridge tea yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Allingham Dunsmuir, of Saanichton, Col., and of Mrs. A. L. Harvey, of Montreal.

Back from England

Mrs. Jackie Palmer has returned to her home, "Gibraltar," Esquimalt, after a nine months' absence in England.

Returns to Seattle

Mrs. H. de Carveret, of Seattle, has returned to her home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McKinnon.

To Give Lecture

Mr. W. E. Harper, of the Saanich Observatory, will give an illustrated lecture on "Observatories and Their Work" on Tuesday in the Amphion Hall, under the auspices of the Royal Society of St. George, at 8 p.m. The general public is invited to attend.

Sketch Club

The Sketch Club of the Island Arts and Crafts Society met in the club rooms, Union Building, on Monday afternoon to discuss plans for the weekly meetings during the winter months. It was decided to meet at 2 o'clock as usual on each Monday in the club rooms, Mrs. Baile being appointed to secure models for the weekly sketching. All members are asked to attend on Monday next.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Successful Sale Held by St. Columba W.A.

A successful sale of work and tea was held at the Institute Hall, Marigold, under the auspices of the Junior W.A. of St. Columba's Church. The affair was in the capable hands of Mrs. Veals and Miss Powell, and was well attended. A programme was given by the following ladies: Songs, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Butterfield, Miss Ellen Bennett and Mrs. Wilson; piano solo, Miss Winnie Pamlier; Highland dances, Miss Gwen Dewar; the accompaniments being played by Mrs. Pamlier. Rev. F. Comley, vicar of the parish, introduced Mrs. McKillop, who told of the work being done among children and young people by the United Church. Mr. Comley thanked the speaker and introduced Mrs. Chow, the diocesan junior secretary, who briefly outlined her work and took the opportunity to present to Doris Powell a W.A. badge which had been won for regular attendance. She spoke of St. Columba's branch as being one of the banner branches of the diocese.

Chemainus Personals

On Wednesday Miss Yates, district health nurse, visited the Chemainus public school.
Mr. N. B. Scott was a recent visitor in Vancouver.

Sketch Club

The Sketch Club of the Island Arts and Crafts Society met in the club rooms, Union Building, on Monday afternoon to discuss plans for the weekly meetings during the winter months. It was decided to meet at 2 o'clock as usual on each Monday in the club rooms, Mrs. Baile being appointed to secure models for the weekly sketching. All members are asked to attend on Monday next.

Train No. 2

Leaves at 9 p.m. Daily
for MONTREAL, Direct, carrying Through Standard Sleeper to Chicago
(Via Minneapolis and St. Paul)
STANDARD EQUIPMENT
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Hudson's Bay Company

Other Stores at Winnipeg, Yorkton, Saskatoon, Edmonton, Calgary, Lethbridge, Nelson, Vernon, Kamloops and Vancouver

Month-End Specials

Charge customers kindly note—All purchases made today and tomorrow will be charged to next month's account, payable in January.

Savings in Draperies

Ivory Bordered Marquisette
Very Fine Grade Bordered Marquisette, 36 inches wide. In the ivory shades. Most durable and attractive for curtains. Month-End Price, per yard, \$2.50

Cream Madras
Fine Grade Cream Madras in a wide width—45 inches—and in pleasing patterns. An unusual value at Month-End Price, per yard \$3.50

—Third Floor, HBC

Month-End Savings in the Hardware Dept.

Electric Irons
Victory Irons, 6-lb. weight, tip-up back rest, fully nickled and with full length cord. Special at \$2.49

Copper Tea Kettles
Nickel-plated and in 5-quart size. Special \$2.49

Electric Heaters
Open type "Cosy Glow Heaters." Polished copper reflectors and full length cord. Price \$4.25

Vacuum Bottles
in pint size. Special at \$3.95

Lunch Kits
in all-metal with two clasps and leather handle. Special at \$6.95

—Third Floor, HBC

Silverware Gifts for Children and Adults

Children's Sets
Consisting of knife with colored handle, fork and spoon of stainless nickel silver, packed in a pretty box. A One-Day Special at, per set \$6.95

Teaspoons
Heavy electro-plated, in the Apostolic design or plain. Packed in a blue leatherette case, velvet lined. A dainty gift at, per half dozen \$1.05

A Special Line of Gift Pieces
Including Bonbons, Vases, Candlesticks, Condiment Sets, etc. Pretty designs and attractive forms. Special, per piece, \$1.00

—Main Floor, HBC

Electrical Playthings for Boys

Something More Than Toys

Electric Trains
The famous American Flyer line. Every boy loves a train, and most boys work with zest rather than play with such models as these. They are beautifully finished, with great care on every detail.

Heaton Train. Price \$8.25
The Oriental \$15.00
The Bluebird \$20.00
The Potomac \$22.50
The Ambassador \$24.75
The Trail Blazer \$27.50
The Eagle \$31.50
The Statesman \$37.50

A large selection of Bridges, Tracks, Stations, etc.

"Electric" Car
The fastest electric toy made. The electric car is a real racer, a miniature reproduction of a speed car. Built of heavy metal to stand rough handling. A special steering arrangement keeps it to the fence regardless of shape, so that it can be used anywhere in any position. Priced at \$10.50

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

Fresh Meat Specials for Today and Saturday

Red Ribbon Beef	Loins and Filets, per lb. 33c	Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. 24c
Sirloin and T-Bone Roast, per lb. 35c	Shoulder Roast, per lb. 23c	Veal
Sirloin Tip and Aitch-Bone Roast, per lb. 35c	Side Pork, pickled or fresh, per lb. 25c	Legs, whole, per lb. 35c
Wing Loin Roast, lb. 33c	Imperial Pork Sausages, per lb. 25c	Filets, per lb. 40c
Prime Ribs and Rumps, per lb. 24c	Mutton	Rumps and Loins, lb. 33c
Thick Rib Roast, per lb. 25c	Legs, Loins and Filets, per lb. 32c	Shoulders, per lb. 22c
Pot Roast, per lb. 20c	Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. 20c	Breast of Veal, per lb. 15c
Our Own Brand Beef Sausages, per lb. 18c	Ribs of Mutton Roast, per lb. 18c	Poultry
Pork	Lamb	No. 1 Roasting Chicken, per lb. 45c
Legs, whole, 10 lbs. to 12 lbs., per lb. 26c	Legs, Loins and Filets, per lb. 40c	Boiling Fowl, per lb. 30c

1,000 lbs. Boneless Rolled Roast, lb. 30c

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

See Next Page for Further HBC Announcements

Keating Personal

Mrs. W. Ambrose entertained at tea at her home, Giles Crossroad, on Tuesday afternoon. Miss J. Russell delighted with several piano selections. Those present were Mes-

dames J. A. Conlter, F. Lefurgey, J. A. Patterson, E. T. Lawrie, A. Sutherland, G. E. Warner, W. R. Bate and Miss J. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ambrose, Giles Crossroad, announce the engage-

ment of their eldest daughter, Eva Viola Ambrose, to Mr. Oswald H. New, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur New, of Galiano Island. The wedding will take place early in the New Year.

Meet Your Friends for Luncheon

in our beautifully appointed dining-room. Special music during luncheon period.
—Fourth Floor, HBC



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INCORPORATED 2ND MAY 1670.

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For Your Bridge Party

Inexpensive novelty prizes and complete stock of bridge supplies.
—Mezzanine Floor, HBC

Special Month-End Values for Week-End Shoppers

Notice to Charge Customers

All purchases made today and tomorrow, November 29 and 30, will be charged to next month's account, payable in January.

HBC Service Groceries

Phone 1670 for These Month-End Specials

Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 10 lb. paper sack.....	70c	Fresh Chocolate Eclairs, at, per packet.....	39c
20 lb. paper sack.....	\$1.30	Ramsay's Fancy Mixed Biscuits, six varieties, per lb.....	25c
100 lb. sack.....	\$6.45	Ginger Snaps, per lb.....	18c
Finest B.C. Yellow Sugar at, per lb.....	6 1/2c	2 lbs. for.....	35c
Flour Specials		Lemon Gem Biscuits, per lb.....	22c
Royal Standard, Royal Household, Robin Hood, Five Roses and Purify Flour at these prices—		Jacob's Wavecrest Biscuits and Butter Puffs, per package.....	25c
24-lb. sack.....	\$1.27	3 for.....	70c
49-lb. sack.....	\$2.50	Jacob's Cream Crackers, pkt., 33c	
98-lb. sack.....	\$4.95		
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 49-lb. sack.....	49c	Provision Specials	
24-lb. sack.....	\$1.17	Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb.....	47c
Our Own Bulk Teas at Special Prices		3 lbs. for.....	\$1.38
Mogul Brand Ceylon Tea, per lb.....	39c	Selected Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb.....	46c
Our Special Blend Economy Tea, per lb.....	45c	3 lbs. for.....	\$1.35
Our Special Breakfast Tea, per lb.....	35c	Pure Bulk Lard, per lb.....	18c
3 lbs. for.....	\$1.60	3 lbs. for.....	52c
H B C Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb.....	65c	Cooket, per lb.....	19c
3 lbs. for.....	\$1.90	3 lbs. for.....	55c
		Domestic Shortening, packet, 18c	
		2 for.....	35c
		Domestic Shortening, 3-lb. pail, 57c	
		3 lbs. for.....	19c
		Swift's Lard, 1-lb. packet.....	55c
		3 for.....	

Special Prices on Our Own Freshly Ground Coffee	
Special Breakfast Coffee at, per lb.....	70c
Imperial Blend Coffee, lb., 55c	
Mocha and Java Coffee, lb., 65c	

Shirriff's Seville Pure Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin.....	62c	Swiss's Premium Hams, whole or half, per lb.....	45c
Beach's Pure Strawberries, 4-lb. tin.....	52c	Shamrock Hams, whole or half, per lb.....	38c
Quaker Brand Corn, No. 2, tin, 15c		Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb.....	23c
3 for.....	43c	Extra Pickled Picnic Hams, per lb.....	22c
Quaker Brand Peas, Size 3, No. 2, tin.....	15c	Smoked Cottage Rolls, lb., 34c	
3 for.....	43c	Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, per lb.....	32c
Quaker Brand Tomatoes, No. 2, tin.....	16c	Seal of Quality Back Bacon, sliced, per lb.....	48c
3 for.....	45c	Shamrock Side Bacon, sliced, per lb.....	48c
Libby's Sliced Peaches, No. 2, tin.....	25c	Very Choice Side Bacon	
3 for.....	75c	Whole or half side, per lb.....	33c
Blue Mountain Pineapple, tin, 12c		Sliced, per lb.....	33c
3 for.....	32c	Ayrshire Roll, sliced, per lb.....	40c
3 Shirriff's Jelly Powders and 1 Cup of Sauce for.....	27c	Delicatessen and Cheese	
3 Shirriff's Jelly Powders and 1 English China Nappy Dish.....	27c	Sliced Cooked Ham, per lb.....	58c
Clark's Catsup, per bottle.....	19c	Sliced Corned Beef, per lb.....	28c
Canphell's Tomato Soup, 3 tins for.....	32c	Sliced Head Cheese, per lb.....	20c
Van Camp's Bean Hole Beans with Pork, large tin.....	15c	Frankfurters, per lb.....	25c
3 for.....	43c	Mild Cheese, per lb.....	28c
Tate & Lyle's English Coffee Sugar, per package.....	9c	Prime Ontario Cheese, lb., 38c	
3 for.....	27c	Canadian Siltion Cheese, lb., 38c	
Robin Hood Rapid Oats, with glass tumbler, per package.....	37c	Extra Fine English Siltion Cheese, per lb.....	75c
Robin Hood Rapid Oats, non premium, per package.....	27c	Chateau Cheese, plain or pimento, 22c	
		Kraft Cheese in packet, plain or pimento, each.....	22c

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	
Orange Special	
Nice Juicy Oranges, Regular, per dozen 50c, Special, 2 dozen for.....	89c
Oranges, Regular, per dozen 30c, at.....	2 dozen for 53c
Florida Grapefruit, 20c, 15c and 2 for.....	25c
Texas Seedless Grapefruit, 3 for.....	25c
Jonathan Apples, per box.....	\$2.00
Cooking Apples, per box.....	\$1.38
Jap Apples, per box.....	90c
2 boxes for.....	\$1.75
Empire Grapes, per lb.....	15c
Cape Cod Cranberries, per lb.....	30c
Jonathan Apples, special at 9 lbs. for.....	50c
Specials at the Cake Counter	
Fruit Cookies, specially packed for the Hudson's Bay Company, 1-lb. packet.....	22c
Madeira and Cherry Cakes, made in our own bakery, each.....	25c
Rob Roy Shortcake Biscuits, per lb.....	32c

Visit the Christmas Book Section

conveniently situated immediately inside the Main Entrance. Here you will find laid out in attractive fashion a truly wonderful display of Christmas Books and Annuals. We cordially invite you to look over this fine showing and suggest that you make an early choice and thus avoid last minute disappointments.

4,000 Reprint Copyright Novels

New and entertaining fiction for Christmas gift giving properly displayed for early selection. Come in and look them over. Price, each.....
3 for.....

Boxed Stationery

For Christmas Gifts
Complete assortments of finest new gift stationery in gorgeous and colorful presentation boxes. Make your shopping easier by selecting now—you will find the prices attractively low. From 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and to.....
\$5.00

Christmas Greeting Cards

21 in a Box for 89c
21 Beautiful Cards with pictorially-lined envelopes to match. Special for today, 89c
—Main Floor, HBC

Three Special Groups of Smart Afternoon Frocks

In a Special Month-End Selling at

9.75, 12.95, 16.95



These are skillfully designed Frocks, and cleverly fashioned from materials of flat, printed, Canton crepe and crepe-back satin. There are tailored and dressy styles; some with new necklines; some with smart collars or round and V neck shapes or vestee fronts. The skirts are flared, draped and pleated, and there are new features of tucks, pleats, piping, buckles, bows, ties, etc. In the best shades of the season, also in navy and black. Sizes 16 to 42.

Tailored Broadcloth Blouses, Regular \$2.95, for \$1.98

Smartly-Tailored Blouses with turn-over and pointed collars, long and short sleeves, straight and vestee fronts trimmed with tucks. Sizes 32 to 42. Regular \$2.95.
Month-End Price.....
1.98
—Second Floor, HBC

Coats and Frocks For Tiny Girls

The little girl from 2 to 6 years of age will be well set up for the colder days with a warm coat and a pretty flannel dress. Bring her in and see how cosy she will look and feel.

60 Little Girls' Panties-Frocks at \$1.98		30 Children's Navy Reefer Coats at \$3.95	
Five styles in this special group of Little Girls' All-Wool Flannel Panties-Frocks with set-in sleeves and smoking silk stitching or velvet and contrasting trimmings. Colors are green, rose, powder, rosewood, sand and tan. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. Price.....	1.98	Children's Smart Double-Breasted Reefers with warm red flannel lining and finished with brass buttons and emblem on arm. Sizes for 2, 4, 5 and 6 years. Price.....	3.95
			—Second Floor, HBC

Women's Fashionable Overshoes

These modern styles keep the feet warm in cold weather, dry in wet weather and natty in all weathers. You must have Overshoes at this time of the year, but they may just as well be colorful and pleasing as these are.

Grey and Heather Mixture Waterproof Cloth Overshoes with one-strap buckle fastening. Price, per pair.....
\$1.95
All Rubber Overshoes in grey, brown and fawn with dome but ton fasteners and high turn-down cuffs. Price, pair, \$2.45
Fancy Rubber Overshoes with zipper and dome fastenings. In colors of brown, fawn and blue. Price, per pair, \$3.45

WOMEN'S BOBETTE BOOTS
Smart and useful for street wear and designed to protect the ankles in wet weather. Made in patent leather and brown calf with one strap and buckle fastening. Price, per pair.....
\$6.95
—Main Floor, HBC



60 Women's Pongee Silk Nightgowns at 1.98

Women's Natural Pongee Nightgowns with dainty lace-trimmed yokes and shoulder strap or medallion of lace and French rosettes. These very dainty, decidedly uncommon and yet very serviceable gowns would be appreciated as Christmas gifts.
Special.....
1.98
—Second Floor, HBC

60 Women's Dressing Gowns at \$2.98

Women's Cosy European Cloth Robes with shawl collar. In assorted patterns and smart color combinations. Sizes 36 to 44. Price.....
\$2.98

Women's Gift Vests and Bloomers At Special Prices

Watson's Rayon Silk Vests
Opera Top Vests in Nile, peach, sunni, white, orchid, moonlight, sunset and nude. Sizes 36 to 44. For today's selling only, price, each.....
49c
150 Rayon Gift Bloomers
Full-Fashioned Rayon Silk Gift Bloomers with large double gusset and durable elastic at waist and knee. Sizes 36 to 44. Colors to match the vests. Also in black. For today's selling only at, per pair.....
49c
—Second Floor, HBC

Women's Winter Underwear

Swiss Ribbed Wool Panties at \$1.25 a Pair
Just what women are looking for these chilly days to wear under their rayon undershirts. A snug-fitting garment in a fine all-wool Swiss rib with elastic at the waist and handker at the knee. In white, peach, pink and orchid. Small, medium and large sizes. Price, per pair.....
\$1.25

Women's Winter-Weight Bloomers at 59c a Pair
Women's Heavy Ribbed Winter-Weight Bloomers with gusset. In white, peach, pink, orchid and black. Sizes 36 to 44. Price, per pair.....
59c
—Second Floor, HBC

Special Savings in Gift Linens

It is pleasant to choose from our linen goods because the collection is so varied and beautiful that you know you can't go wrong. And then you know that the recipient will have lasting pleasure from your gift.

100 Pure Linen Italian Hand-Embroidered Bridge Sets at \$1.98		200 Linen Crash Bridge Sets at 89c a Set	
Cloth, 36 x 36 inches, and four napkins. Neatly hand-embroidered in many colorful effects. Month-End Special, per set.....	1.98	Cloth, 36 x 36 inches, and four napkins in novelty plaid effects of rose, blue, green and gold. Month-End Special, per set.....	89c
100 Italian Linen Crash Runners at \$1.50 and \$1.98		50 Dozen Hand-Embroidered Crash Guest Towels at 39c Each	
These, too, are hand-embroidered in colored and self effects. They are excellent for gift purposes. Size 18 x 44 inches. Price.....	\$1.50	Neatly embroidered in self and colored effects. One of these would make a charming little present. Size 15 x 22 inches. Month-End Price, each.....	39c
Size 18 x 54 inches. Price.....	\$1.98		

150 Linen Crash Cloths at 75c Each
Made from a fine linen crash with borders in multicolored effects. Size 43 inches x 44 inches. Price, each.....
75c
—Main Floor, HBC

Month-End Specials in the Millinery Section

Smart Up-to-the-Minute Felts for Misses and Women

Why not a smart little Hat with each costume? Perhaps in the exact shade of your coat or in a smart contrasting black. These hats are so inexpensive that you may just as well have several of them.
Month-End Price.....
1.00



Metallic Dance Hats
Made of rich metallic cloth in gold embroidered with gold and stitching and with touches of assorted pastel colored chenille applique. Close-fitting flattering styles. Priced at.....
4.95
—Second Floor, HBC

Friday and Saturday Month-End Specials in the Drug Section

Nujol, large.....	80c	Vaseline's Incense Burners at \$1.00 to \$1.50	
Eno's Fruit Salt.....	70c	One package Incense free with each burner—a large assortment to choose from.	
Hospital Cotton, 1-lb. rolls at 49c		25c Tincture Iodine.....	19c
Palmolive Soap, 6 for.....	43c	15c Hind's Honey and Almond Cream.....	11c
Rose and Lavender Bath Salts in attractive bottle. Special, 30c		25c Glycerine and Rose Water, Special.....	19c
Vinolia Old English Lavender Tinting Powder, large size, Special.....	\$1.19	35c Andrew's Liver Salts.....	29c
25c Olive Oil, 4-oz.....	19c		

HBC GROCETERIA CARRY AND SAVE

Continuing the Month-End Sale in This Up-to-Date Department

Better Groceries—Low Prices—Clean, Attractive Displays

Butter—The Best Grade Only.

Alberta Creamery, No. 1 quality, per lb.....
3 lbs. for.....

New Zealand Finest, per lb.....
3 lbs. for.....

JAM
Pure Apricot, 500 tins only, at, per tin.....
at.....

MARMALADE
Empress Orange, 4-lb. net tin at.....
at.....

Fancy Cohoe Salmon, 1/2-lb. tins, 2 tins for.....
Quick Quaker Oats, large packet for.....

Puffed Wheat, 2 packets for.....
Heinz Tomato Soup, 3 tins.....

Heinz Spaghetti, 2 tins.....
Peas, No. 2 tins, 2 tins for.....

Australian Sultanas, 2 lbs. for.....
Asparagus, 1-lb. tin for.....

Selected Ontario Mild Cheese, per lb.....
Chateau Cheese, 1/2-lb. packet, 19c

Ormond's Superior Biscuits, in glassine bags, per bag.....
Special Assorted Chocolates, per 1-lb. box.....

Fresh Prunes, medium, 2 lbs. 25c

Swans Down Cake Flour, per packet.....
Bread, white or brown, at, per loaf.....

Sliced Pineapple, No. 2 tins, 2 tins for.....
Corn on the Cob, large, No. 3 tin, for.....

Reclined Currants, per lb.....
Pure Extracts: Lemon, Vanilla, per bottle.....

"Economy" Sliced Breakfast Bacon, per lb.....
Crisco, per 1-lb. tin.....

Weston's English Style Biscuits, fancy assortment, 1-lb. box for 35c
Rowntree's Chocolate, Plain York, York Milk, 25c cake for.....
—Lower Main Floor, HBC

Travellers' Samples of Drapery Fabrics

400 Pieces Approximately 1 Yard 29c Each

Many of these fabrics would sell in the ordinary way at \$1.00 a yard. The collection includes Cream Madras, Colored Madras, Fine Marquisettes, and Curtain Nets. All clearing at the one price of 29c
—Third Floor, HBC

Gift Buying Is Simplified in Our China Section

To facilitate your gift choosing in the China Section—a delightful place in which to buy gifts—we are arranging selected lines on separate tables, each table featuring one price only. These fancy gift pieces include bonbons, vases, sugar and cream sets, spoon trays, ash trays, condiment sets, salad bowls, honey jars and many other charming pieces. Prices are

25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75
—Third Floor, HBC

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Highest quality Cognac,
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Successful Students

Certificates for having successfully passed the examinations of the Toronto Conservatory of Music were awarded at the recent of music students of St. Ann's Academy on St. Cecilia's Day in the auditorium of the convent. The following students received certificates: Junior grade, Edna Sutton; primary theory, Margaret Straw (honors); primary grade, Bernadette Colbert and Gladys Davies; elementary grade, Marie Costello (first class honors); introductory A. Betty Grenow (honors); first class, Doreen Kenning (honors); first class with honors, Blanche Gagnon, Eula Riley, Marjorie Webb and Constance Cliffo. The presentation of certificates followed a recital in which a large number of pupils took part. Delightful chorus numbers were sung by the fifth grade, and the sixth and seventh grades combined. Duets and trios and some ensemble numbers with five and seven students taking part at the three piano were particularly appreciated by the large audience. A solo was given by Betty Mascall and a vocal duet by Betty Grenow and Marie Trudel. Those taking part were: Miss Dot Simpson, Roma Trudel, who accompanied the singing also, H. Philpotts, Mary A. Truitt, Ruby Brown, E. Benson, Jeff Cieri, Eileen Hickey, Veronica Cieri, Marjorie Webb, Catherine Anstie, P. Wilson, Iris Young, Blanche Gagnon, Gladwyn Beasley, J. Lachapelle, Rita Thompson, Marie Trudel, Betty Grenow, Randi Sorenson, Mary T. Hughes, Louise Brehault, Peggy Davis, Doreen Johnson, Margaret Straw, W. E. Partington, Louise Masfen, Marie Costello, Thelma Lee, Doreen Kenning, Pauline Partington, Wanda Spencer, G. Gidney, G. Davies, L. Noble, G. Maclean, W. Logan, W. Welsh and L. Kissinger.

Cumberland Socials

The friends of Mrs. R. Coe will regret to learn of her bereavement in the death on Monday, at Los Angeles, Cal., of her sister, Mrs. Cade Selvy. Mrs. Selvy had successfully undergone a very serious operation several days previously, and word had been received here that she was making progress towards recovery.

News of her death, therefore, came as a very great shock.

Mr. Ethel Jones, of Nanaimo, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Devlin.

The friends of Mrs. J. L. Brown will regret to hear she is a patient in the Cumberland General Hospital, as is also Mrs. Ed. Anderson, of Union Bay.

Mrs. John Stant was a visitor to Bowser during the week, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Thomson, who has just taken up residence there.

Mr. and Mrs. Mumford returned on Tuesday night from Victoria, after spending a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Eccleston, of Black Diamond, Wash., who have been visiting here for a few days, have returned to their home.

Mr. "Bill" Bennie, who was a victim of an accident at No. 4 mine, is making good progress towards recovery.

Miss Eunice Bora, who has been dangerously ill following an operation, is now making steady progress towards recovery. Little Miss Buchanan, who also went under an operation last week for appendicitis, is doing well. Both are patients at the Cumberland Hospital.

Mr. Earl Bunson, of Vancouver, was a visitor to Cumberland on Wednesday.

Mrs. L. M. Graham left for her home at Harrison on Tuesday morning after spending the past three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newman. She was accompanied on the return journey by her young son, Francis.

Mr. R. C. Lang was a visitor to Port Alberni on Tuesday, returning on Wednesday night.

Mrs. Griggs: "Those new neighbors of ours must be rich. Judging from the clothes they wear." Mr. Griggs: "That's a poor way to judge, my dear. Some of the most gorgeous flowers haven't got a scent."

Crowds Attend Smart Wedding

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Many society weddings nowadays take place well outside the normal London season. Perhaps the most interesting and attractive of all such this Fall was today's ceremony at St. Margaret's, Westminster, when Lady Anne Cavendish, youngest daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, was married to Mr. Henry Hunkie, only son of Major Sir Philip Hunkie, of Wiltshire, groom-in-waiting to the King, who has often steered His Majesty's yacht Victoria to victory at Cowes.

Canadians have a special interest in the wedding, in view of the fact that the Duke of Devonshire is a former Governor-General of Canada, and Lady Anne, when quite a little girl, lived for some years at Rideau Hall in Ottawa.

Even English weather could hardly have been less gracious to such a charming bride and so pretty a ceremony. St. Margaret's, of course, was filled to the brim with guests. The prayer book terms "friends and neighbors." Outside there was a heaving sea of umbrellas borne by the feminine battalions which were always be relied upon to assemble when a marriage ceremony amongst the highly-placed is in progress at this historic church.

BEAUTIFUL GIFTS
The Duchess of Devonshire holds the august position at court of Mistress of the Robes and also enjoys the Queen's highest personal esteem. The bridegroom has been a Royal page, so both families are obviously on terms of the most intimate friendship with many members of the House of Windsor.

The present of the King and Queen to Lady Anne is a diamond enamel brooch, bearing the Royal initials surrounded by a crown, and to the bridegroom they sent a pair of cuff links. Nearly every other member of the Royal Family sent gifts. In all 800 gifts were received.

TINY BRIDESMAIDS
Only very young girls acted as the bride's attendants, for Lady Anne, who is only twenty years old, has so many friends it was almost impossible to make a selection. There were three pages and nine tiny bridesmaids, all in charming medieval costumes.

The bride wore a gown of cream satin antique woven with gold, the Renaissance effect being heightened by a voluminous train. She also wore a cream tulle veil and a Botticelli wreath of orange blossoms.

The ceremony was performed by the Duke's chaplain at Edensor.

Langford Personals
An enjoyable card party, under the auspices of the social committee of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday evening. Mrs. L. G. Wilkinson and Mr. T. Guy were the first prize winners at bridge; Mrs. G. Aikman and Mr. Trace won the consolation trophies. Refreshments were served by the committee.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson (nee Barbra McTavish) are living at View Royal.

Miss Cecily Bennett spent the week-end with friends in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Straw and sons, from Regina, are staying at Bon Accord, Langford Lake.

Mistress: I don't like to have to keep complaining, Mary, but I wish you would realize that when the master leaves his shoes outside the bedroom door it means that he wants them cleaned.

Maid: Very well, madam—and what does it mean when he leaves them outside the front door?

Annual Saanich Police Ball Is Slated Tonight

THE tenth annual Saanich police ball will be held in the Agricultural Hall, Saanich, tonight, under the auspices of Reeve William Crouch and the Police Commissioners. Dancing will be indulged in from 9 o'clock to 2 o'clock, with a first class six-piece orchestra in attendance. A buffet supper will be served during the evening. The catering arrangements are in the hands of the West Saanich Women's Institute.

Nanaimo Hayseeds' Ball Is Success

The sixth annual hayseed ball, given by members of the local Elks Lodge in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Nanaimo, on Wednesday evening, the proceeds of which go towards the lodge's Christmas fund, was attended by over four hundred dancers, who thronged the floor until an early hour on Thursday. The supper was served in the Good Eats Cafe, being served in the supper rooms of the Odd Fellows' Building. Many of the dancers were appropriately costumed as farmers and "farmerettes," the latter looking particularly attractive in their gingham dresses.

James Island Socials

Mr. Clifford Prentice, of Powell River, has been the guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bradley.

Miss Beattie Wallace, of Esquimalt, and Mr. W. Bromley, of Victoria, were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Taylor.

Mrs. Victor Sandwick, of Vancouver, spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rivers.

Mr. K. Mercer, who has been spending a holiday at Long Beach, California, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dakin, who have been visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dakin, of Oaklands, California, have returned home.

On Monday afternoon at her home, Mrs. D. McNaughton and Mrs. C. W. Holland were hostesses at a farewell party to Mrs. W. P. Row who, with Mr. Row and their children are leaving for the Beloit plant, where Mr. Row has been transferred. The guests invited to say au revoir to Mrs. Row were Mrs. Thomas Mawhinney, Mrs. Claude G. Belfrage, Mrs. Melville Watson, Mrs. A. J. Dakin, Mrs. William Rivers, Mrs. W. G. Milstead, Mrs. W. Bond, Mrs. W. J. Sanders, Mrs. W. Van Norman, Mrs. A. E. Ford, Mrs. Matthew J. Kirk, Mrs. A. E. Emmens, Mrs. G. M. Richards, Mrs. A. Pearce, Mrs. James Clegg, Mrs. E. Hicks, Mrs. J. Bowker, Mrs. W. Rowbotham, Mrs. John Thompson, Mrs. James Doran, Mrs. D. McNaughton, Sr., and Misses Mae Sandford and Evelyn Hudson.

The guests' good wishes were conveyed by Mrs. E. Nickerson and Miss Sandford. After tea had been served, Mrs. D. A. McNaughton presented a small remembrance which took the form of a Maderia cloth and serviettes. Mrs. Row was pleased with her gift and extended thanks.

On Saturday a successful dance was held at the Moore Club. There was a good attendance. The ladies wore gingham dresses and rompers and the men were in overalls. An Orchestra from Victoria supplied the dance music.

Mr. W. G. Milsted is a patient at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria.

Sidney Social News

Mrs. William McNeil, who has recently returned from England, was the guest last week of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Whiting, Sixth Street.

Mrs. J. Dolenc and baby, of Seattle, arrived on Sunday and spend a holiday here as the guest of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. Matthews, Third Street.

Mrs. Jack Jackson and small son, of Duncan, are spending an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson, Queen's Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Pearson, of Parksville, are spending a holiday visiting relatives in Sidney.

Surprise at Sooke

On Monday evening about thirty friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jones gathered in the form of a surprise party at the home of Mr. Horwood and Mrs. G. H. Acreman, to honor Mrs. Jones, who is leaving the district to reside in Victoria. Dancing and games made a pleasant evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were presented with a cruel and salad bowl mounted in silver. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holsten, Mrs. F. Grainger, Mrs. K. and W. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. W. Baker and others. Mrs. Horwood and Mrs. Acreman acted as hostesses.

RIFLE MEETING

Reports of the past season's activities will be presented at a meeting of the Victoria and District Rifle Association, to be held in the Armories tonight at 8 o'clock.

On a tour of inspection, Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., is at Esquimalt from Ottawa, and today will go over H.M.C.S. Vancouver, recently overhauled by Yarrrows.

Commander Beard succeeded Commander Brabant as senior naval officer at Esquimalt, and four years ago left to serve two years in the Royal Navy. Nine years ago he was captain of H.M.C.S. Patricia, crapped last year by Neider & Marcus, of Seattle. At present he holds the position of Chief of Staff, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

He expects to leave for Prince Rupert on Saturday to inspect R.C.N.V.R. ratings there.

"Was that a new girl I saw you with last night?"
"Now, just the old one painted over."

OLD FRAUDS STILL DELUDE VICTIMS

Some Get-Rich-Quick Schemes Described—Depend on Use of Postal Facilities

By WILFRID KOOLESTON
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OTTAWA, Nov. 28.—Everybody knows the postmaster—the chap that peers over his glasses as he passes out the mail along with a remark about Aunt Lizzie's rheumatism, and the city letter carrier, who obligingly looks through his pack of letters to see if the lady in Apartment 24 has any mail today—but how many know the uniformed official in the role of guardian and protector of the gullible public?

If you never guessed what goes on behind the routine task of receiving letters and papers, taking them to their destination and handing them over to the rightful owners, then you should have a chat with an official in the Langevin Block, just across the street from the Parliament Buildings. You would find out that the film-fraud and the confidence man who operates by mail in most cases never

reaches his public, and they never hear anything about it.

The racing tipster is so well known that he never gets very far in this country. His method, as described by Mr. W. Turnbull, of the publicity branch, is a very ingenious one. He operates under five or six names from the same building. He sends out so many tip sheets that he is bound to get a winner every day. He uses his successful sheets as testimonials. If a customer has been getting a series of "bum steers" he is sure to receive a letter pointing out that a certain agency that day guessed four winners out of six. He is invited to transfer his business. What's the difference? The same faker gets the money.

The Mexican diamond scheme is frowned upon by the postoffice department and meets short shrift when promoters are caught. It usually works like this: Advertisements in papers or magazines offer a prize for the solution of puzzles which are so obvious as to be foolproof. Hundreds respond, filling in the solutions.

Their names provide the wily schemer with a mailing list. The entrants are likely to receive a few days later a letter that reads something like this:

"Some time ago you participated in a contest advertised in such and

such a paper. We are glad to advise that you have been successful and are eligible for a Mexican diamond ring, worth \$50. We shall be glad to forward it to you on receipt of \$134, covering our packing and mailing charges."

On receipt of \$134, the promoter mails the prize winner a 15-cent ring, and everybody is happy. I might have doubted if the game was worth the candle, if Mr. Turnbull had not gone on to cite the case of a Montreal man who was detected operating this game. He had been taking in some \$2,900 a day.

Then there was the man with a sense of humor who made Vancouver his base. He advertised a "peppy book," "one that every sportsman should have." It was a book that had been translated into many languages, and it was prohibited in several countries. The purchaser could now obtain a copy of this book at \$2, and it would be forwarded in a plain wrapper.

In exchange for his \$2, the hopeful sportsman received a copy of the Old and New Testaments.

In this case the ruling of the Justice Department was that the advertisement was apparently legal, and no mistatement was made. However, the Postoffice Department decided that it was undesirable, and

forbade the promoter the use of the mails.

How are film-fraud artists detected? It seems that the moment an individual or firm opens up business and begins receiving mail in large quantities, he is suspect. Inspectors make inquiries: "What kind of business is it you are running here?" If they are not satisfied they can soon apply the big stick. The means used are the most effective in the world. All they do is to shut off their mail. They do it so effectively that cases as known where promoters succeeded in getting their personal mail only after a great struggle. The letters from the gullible public, cheques and money orders and all go back to them. And if a promoter doesn't get his mail, he is obviously out of luck.

The Rev. Mr. Smilie, off on a vacation fishing trip, was horrified to hear a youthful angler using words that had a dark, dark blunting.

"My boy," he remonstrated, "don't you know that the fish will never bite if you swear like that?"
"I know I ain't very good at it, replied the youngster, apologetically, "but I thought maybe I could get some little ones on the few words I know. Here, you take my pole and see what you can do."

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1. NO "CASH" PAYMENT
Club members make no "cash" payment. Only the regular weekly payments.
2. FREE INSTALLATION
We install the instrument of your choice to your aerial and ground and instruct you on its operation.
3. EASIEST PAYMENT TERMS
Nowhere will you get easier payment terms than those of this Christmas Club. Let us tell you about them.
4. FREE SERVICE
Our thirty-day free service plan assures you of satisfaction and all defective tubes will be replaced free during that period.
5. FREE EXCHANGE
Club members have the privilege of exchanging their set at any time within one month, for any other DeForest Crosley model of higher price, receiving full value for all they have paid.
6. LIFE INSURANCE
In the event of the death of a club member before the account is paid in full, the unpaid balance is canceled, without further payment.
7. RELIEF INSURANCE
Should a club member become sick or unemployed, he can make half-payments for a reasonable period.
8. UNRESTRICTED SELECTION
Club members may select from any one of thirteen of the new DeForest Crosley models.
9. FREE RADIO LOG
A complete radio log, listing 680 radio broadcasting stations, free with every Christmas Club set.

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TO HOLD BAZAAR

A bazaar and tea will be held by the Women's Guild of the First United Church at the church hall tomorrow afternoon, when a fine collection of work will be offered for sale.

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1.00 and 1.50 Houbigant's Compacts	.69
and	1.09
1.40 Houbigant's Bath Powder	.94
.90 Houbigant's Soap	.59
1.00 Pedodyne, for bunions	.72
.60 Vacuum Bottle	.34
.50 Vacuum Refill	.28
.75 4711 Cold Cream	.47
.50 Bonicella Rouge	.34
1.00 Luxor Face Powder de Luxe	.67
.50 Furball Milk of Magnesia	.32
1.00 Krasny Complexion Powder	.64
1.00 Dr. Reid's Guaranteed Hair Tonic	.57
5.10 Twimple Stroppler Shaving Kit	3.05
40 French Castle Soap, per bar	.24
.75 Kruschen Salts	.51
.50 Pinaud's Dental Cream	.28
.75 Dr. Reid's Vanishing Cream	.41
.60 Milnesia Wafers	.37
3.50 Maison Pearson's Hair Brush	2.05
2.00 I-X-L Hair Brush	1.28
1.00 Hi-genie Nail Scrub	.68
.75 Boeckh's Shaving Brush	.44
3.00 Kanner's Stroppler for Gillette blades	1.65
.50 and 1.00 AutoStrop Blades	.33 and .66
.50 Durham Duplex Blades	.24
.95 Gillette Razor (in cigarette case)	.66
5.00 AutoStrop Razors	3.19
5.00 Gillette Razors	2.63
20 Fears' Soap	2 for .28
.25 Ayer's A.B.S. & C. Tablets, 100s	.14
.50 Dr. Reid's Dyspepsia Tablets	.31
3.75 Horlick's Malted Milk	2.81
.35 Oronal Ointment	.26
.30 Common Sense Rat Exterminator	.19
.30 Sulphur and Molasses	.18
.50 Olive Oil, 8-oz. tins	.31
.75 and 1.25 Ardol	.61 and .77
.75 and 1.25 Wolf's Eau de Cologne	.55 and .77
.25 Gold Medal Photograph Needles	.12
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Women's Clubs and Societies

Sidney Evening Branch

The annual meeting of the Sidney St. Andrew's and Holy Trinity Evening Branch of the W.A. was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss May Bawden, Breeds Cross-road. Rev. T. M. Hughes, rector of the parish, occupied the chair and following the opening services, called the meeting to order. Reports were read by Miss Evelyn Moses and the secretary, Miss Iris Goddard. The treasurer, Miss Edith Whiting, gave a most satisfactory report, showing a balance in the bank of \$40.55. The Dorcas secretary, Mrs. G. Few, gave an interesting report of the sale of clothing, costing approximately \$50, which was made by the members and forwarded to Lydia Brown at Alert Bay. The Extra-Cent-A-Day secretary, Miss May Bawden, gave her report, explaining that \$5.43 had been collected by the process of each member giving one cent for each day in her birthday month. In the absence of Miss Helen Cochran, Miss Marion Cochran gave the United Thank Offering report, showing that all the boxes had been collected, which yielded the sum of \$7.90. The president, Miss E. Gwynne, gave a most helpful address, which was much appreciated by the members, and a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to her for her very efficient work as president. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Miss E. Gwynne, re-elected unanimously; vice-president, Mrs. T. M. Hughes; secretary, Miss Evelyn Moses; treas-

urer, Miss Gertrude Cochran; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. G. Few; E.C.D. secretary, Miss Lila Pohl; United Thank Offering secretary, Miss Amy Livesey. Routine business, correspondence, etc., were disposed of and the question as to changing the day of the meetings was discussed, and it was decided to hold the meetings on Tuesday evenings instead of Mondays. An invitation was received from Mrs. P. E. Brethour to hold the Tuesday evening meeting, December 10, at her home on Oakland Avenue. Following a short address by Rev. T. M. Hughes, the meeting adjourned for tea, which was served by the hostess and a social half-hour was enjoyed. The occasion being Mr. Hughes' birthday, the members took the opportunity of presenting him with a fine linen handkerchief, as a small token of their appreciation for the help he has tended the branch at various times during the year.

Jubilee Hospital W. A.

At the meeting of the Jubilee Hospital Women's Auxiliary, which took place on Wednesday in the Nurses' Home, Mrs. J. J. Collison in the chair, one of the principal items discussed was the gratifying results of the recent linen shower which was most successful in every respect. Bills to the amount of \$56 were ordered paid. It was moved and seconded that Mrs. E. H. Griffiths be made convener of the Christmas cheer for the nurses, for which final arrangements were made. Mrs. Crisp, convener of sewing, gave a good report of work done during the last month. Additional gifts of linen have been gratefully acknowledged from the following: Sister Mary Mildred, of St. Joseph's Hospital, twelve bath towels; Mrs. Agnew, bath towels; Miss L. Myers, six pillow slips; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. L. Miller, one dozen serviettes and six pillow slips; Mrs. M. W. Gordon, one dozen bath towels; Miss Dawson, six pillow slips; Mrs. Storer, Brown, eighteen serviettes; Mrs. Dunsmuir, one dozen serviettes. The following was banked to the credit of the society: Linen shower, \$48.25; tea table, \$16.10; Miss S. M. King, \$5; Mrs. C. F. Dillabough, \$2.

Canadian Daughters' League

The semi-monthly meeting of Assembly No. 30, Canadian Daughters' League, was held in the Sons of Canada Hall on Tuesday evening. A social was held after the business meeting and the guests included members from Assembly No. 5. The refreshment table was beautifully decorated and was presided over by Mrs. Haines and Mrs. Clark. A singing contest, which afforded much amusement, was won by Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Duke Stewart won the prize in the dressmaking contest, and Miss Redhead won the peanut race. Mrs. R. H. McInnes thanked the hostesses on behalf of the guests for the enjoyable evening's entertainment.

Oak Bay W.A.

The Women's Association of Oak Bay United Church will hold their meeting Thursday, December 5, at 3 o'clock. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year. On Sunday morning, December 8, the Sunday school of Oak Bay United Church will hold a "white gift service." The offerings will be sent to the Indian Mission at St. James, B.C., and have been done for the past three years. The last boat that will reach the mission before Christmas leaves Victoria on December 14, hence the early collection of gifts.

To Hold Card Party

The ladies' club of Progressive Thought Temple is sponsoring a bridge and five hundred party in the Sons of England Hall, Broad Street, on Monday at 8 o'clock. Prizes for both games will be provided. The card games will be followed by a Dutch auction, with Dr. Barton as the auctioneer. Refreshments will be served by the members of the ladies' club.

Temple Bazaar

The annual bazaar of the City Temple Ladies' Auxiliary was held last Friday and Saturday in Temple Hall, North Park Street. The sale was opened by Dr. Clem Davies. The many prettily decorated booths were well supplied with attractive articles and found ready sale.

Pretty Wedding Takes Place in Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Nov. 28.—In the United Church yesterday morning, Rev. F. W. Anderson united in matrimony Ada Phyllis Webster, youngest daughter of Mrs. Dora McKay of this city, to Mr. John Milligan, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Milligan, Five Acres. The bride, who was given away by her mother, was attired in a beige-colored georgette dress with radium lace overdress with which she wore a smart French metallic hat. She wore a corsage bouquet of sweetheart roses. She was attended as bridesmaid by Miss Mary Clarke, who wore a gown of royal blue Canton crepe and a French felt fawn hat. Her bouquet was of Russell roses. The groom was supported by Mr. William Milligan. Mr. and Mrs. Milligan are spending their honeymoon in Vancouver, after which they will take up their residence in this city.

Is He Proud of You?

By Edna Wallace Nugger

What a happy feeling to know you can give someone the thrill of pride! In this exacting age, with standards constantly rising, it requires faultless grooming. But how well worth the time!

One of the greatest helps I have found to lend the "knowing touch" to a smart appearance is my powder base, Youth Cream. It gives the perfect smoothness of chisled beauty. This stamps your knowing the art of attractive make-up. I give credit for the discovery of Youth Cream to France, where I have always gone in search of the ultra in cosmetic art. Just a bit of this delightfully fragrant cream smoothed over your face after cleansing gives your powder the air of "being at home." It's all just part of your skin. Get Youth Cream at any toilet counter. Two types—Cold and Vanishing.

Actor Married in London



THE photograph above shows Raymond Massey, actor and director of stage productions, and brother of Hon. Vincent Massey, Canada's Minister to Washington, with his bride, formerly Adrienne Allen, pretty young actress, after their marriage at a registry office in London.

Manager Entertains Store Staff

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Watson entertained at their home, 2643 Cavanish Avenue, on Tuesday evening. When their guests included the managerial staff and section heads of the Hudson's Bay Company store, over sixty guests being present. The evening's programme included cards, music and dancing. Songs were rendered by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Maguire and Mr. Harold Groves, Mrs. Groves accompanying on the piano.

The Invited Guests Were

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Banner, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bond, Miss M. B. Cicerio, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Colman, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson, Mr. W. T. Edgecombe, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Florence, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Griffin, Miss M. Grimason, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Horne, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hunter, Mr. A. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McBain, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Macquire, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Merryweather, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Saul, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Woolward, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Bucknam, Mr. and Mrs. C. Nicholls, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hibberd, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gauld, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. H. Groves, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hansen, Miss Roff, Mr. A. Kidd, Mr. Walter Woodley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Becklake and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. O'Neill.

Gift Books Should Be Chosen With Care

TORONTO, Nov. 28.—(By Canadian Press).—When looking over books with a view to giving donations to the Navy League it is well to remember that "sailors are not interested in the 'Elsie' books." A dismayed provincial convener of the league found it necessary, when appealing for donations, to ask for a little discrimination in offerings. A local bookseller maintains he has a steady demand for 'Elsie' books around Christmas time, the devoted maiden aunt being still persuaded that girls read them. But, at any rate, sailors don't! and the niece should remember this, the convener suggested.

Campbell River News

The bridge club met at Mrs. J. McDonald's on Thursday. The following were there: Messrs. Adolphson, P. McCee, J. Vanstone, Tud-denham, Clarke, J. Robertson and Davidson. The first prize was won by Mrs. J. Robertson, and the consolation by Mrs. Davidson.

Mrs. J. Forbes spent the week-end at Shawnigan Lake visiting her daughters.

Mr. J. Drummond was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thulin.

Miss M. McLarn spent the weekend in Courtenay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker returned home on Friday night from Vancouver.

Miss E. Swanson was the guest of Misses E. and L. Thulin over the week-end.

Miss M. McQuillan spent the week-end in Courtenay.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Thulin entertained four tables of bridge on Thursday evening. Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. Ziegler, Mr. and Mrs. P. McCee, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. R. Nunn, Misses E. and L. Thulin, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. and L. Thulin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vanstone and Mr. E. Anderson. The winners of the first prize were Mrs. G. Ross and Mr. E. Anderson; consolation winners, Mrs. J. Vanstone and Dr. R. Ziegler.

H. E. Elden, Government line foreman, was a visitor at Campbell River for a couple of days.

Grand Factor Welcomed at Gathering

The Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, held an important meeting on Tuesday evening in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street. The occasion was the annual visit of the Grand Post officers. There was a large attendance of members to welcome Grand Factor Mrs. G. E. Fletcher, and Grand Secretary Miss Piper, of Nanaimo. Past Grand Factor Miss E. Wilson introduced the grand officers, who were greeted by Mrs. S. J. Stapledon, chief factor of Post No. 3.

In brief addresses the grand officers encouraged the members to enlarge their organization and thereby their opportunity for service to each other and to their country. Mrs. H. A. Beckwith moved a vote of thanks to the grand officers which was seconded by Miss Mildred Chow. The grand factor and grand secretary were then given the grand honors and presented with a little gift in remembrance of their visit to Post No. 3. Mrs. Mitchell, a visiting sister, late of Post No. 2, Nanaimo, won the attendance prize. Under the direction of Miss K. Dowell, the programme was much enjoyed by the members. Under the direction of Miss Mae McCorkill, refreshments were served in the dining-room.

In the course of a debate held by the Nationalist party at Pretoria, on women's franchise, a delegate said that woman's place was among the pots and pans. A most scullery-ous statement.

A Scottish woman revivalist has started a "Save the Young Man" campaign. Already one spinster has written asking her to be sure and save one for her.

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Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK MCCOY

Dr. McCoy's menus suggested for the week beginning Sunday, December 1.

Sunday—Breakfast: Toasted breakfast food with milk or cream. Lunch: Mushroom soup, baked squash, string beans. Dinner: Broiled chicken, asparagus, baked ground beef, stuffed celery, Jell-O or Jell-Well with whipped cream.

Monday—Breakfast: Cold egg, whole wheat muffins, stewed raisins. Lunch: Potatoes on the half shell; cooked beef tops, shredded lettuce. Dinner: Broiled steak, steamed carrots and celery; Cauliflower salad; apple whip.

Tuesday—Breakfast: Cottage cheese, melon toast, stewed prunes. Lunch: Steamed rice, cooked spinach; salad of shredded raw cabbage. Dinner: Tomato and celery soup; roast mutton, cooked turnips, small peas (canned); McCoy salad; no desert.

Wednesday—Breakfast: "Soy bean" muffins with peanut butter; stewed figs. Lunch: Potato soup, cooked lettuce; celery and ripe olives. Dinner: Roast veal, whole wheat dressing, buttered vegetables (carrots, turnips and beets); celery and nut salad; pineapple sponge.

Thursday—Breakfast: French omelet, waffle; small piece of ham; applesauce. Lunch: Stewed corn (canned), cooked turnips and tops; salad of shredded cabbage and parsley. Dinner: Broiled steak with mushrooms, baked persimps; tomato-spinach-asparagus salad; dish of berries (canned).

Friday—Breakfast: Poached egg on toast; Shredded Wheat biscuits; baked apple. Lunch: Celery soup; cucumber and olive sandwiches. Dinner: Minced fish in cucumber jelly; spinach, eggplant, sliced tomatoes on lettuce; stewed apricots.

Saturday—Breakfast: Oatmeal with milk or cream. Lunch: Cooked carrots and peas, cooked squash. Dinner: Roast pork, cooked turnips and tops; string beans; salad of chopped cucumbers and raw cabbage; prune whip.

"Soy Bean Muffins: To a well-

beaten egg add one cupful of sweet milk. Stir in one cupful of soy bean flour and beat until smooth, then add a half cupful of soy bean flour into which has been sifted one level teaspoonful of baking powder. Mix thoroughly and bake in muffin tins in a hot oven for the first minute or two, then turn the fire down lower until muffins have sufficiently browned. The quantity will make about eight small muffins, depending upon whether or not it is found necessary to use more or less liquid.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy should address letters: Dr. Frank McCoy, c/o McCoy Publications, Inc., 609 South Ardmore Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

WITNESS DROPS DEAD AFTER HEMORRHAGE

CALGARY, Nov. 28.—Mr. James Hogan, of Calgary, dropped dead in the city police station Thursday morning directly after being called to the witness box to give evidence against two men charged with theft. Just as Hogan stepped into the box and had taken the oath, blood began to spurt from his mouth from an internal hemorrhage. He was quickly helped from the court by Detective Dorlan, but had got no further than the hall outside the courtroom than he dropped dead. Hogan had been in ill health for some time.

Frank Irving Fletcher, the brilliant epigrammatist, was praising Henry Ford for advising young men to spend their money wisely rather than to hoard it foolishly. "Hoarding is a bad habit," he ended, "and it grows on you. Remember the undertaker's story: 'An undertaker enjoyed himself so well at a banquet, the champagne flowed so freely, that when it came his turn to speak he pounded the table with his fist and declared he would bury his next client free gratis for nothing.'"

PLANES SPEED BASIC SURVEY OF ALL CANADA

Geodetic Engineers Continue to Spread Net of Triangulation — Accurate Basis for Other Surveys

ALTITUDES ABOVE SEA LEVEL GIVEN

Airplane journeys totaling 22,000 miles were made during the field season of 1929 by officers of the Geodetic Survey of Canada, Department of the Interior, in the performance of their duties. Although the airplane has been in use for some years in various kinds of survey, this is the first season in which it has been widely employed for geodetic surveying in Canada, and while aerial work constitutes only a small part of the year's programme, the results achieved point to the possibilities of still greater usefulness for the airplane in this field for the future.

An additional advantage of the airplane is that it permits operations in districts otherwise difficult of access to be carried on throughout the winter. For the operator, flying is much more arduous in winter than in summer, but aside from that the working conditions in cabin planes are quite as good when the ground is covered with snow as they are in summer. Heretofore geodetic operations have been found inadvisable in winter by previously employed ground methods. The closing down of considerable aerial work in the winter sets free planes which may be used for certain work of this character. In February and March, 1929, winter flying in connection with geodetic surveying was tried for the first time in Canada, and the results were highly successful.

The advent of the airplane has thus introduced a new and powerful ally, and full advantage is being taken of it in speeding up geodetic work. The reconnaissance engineer nowadays in establishing triangulation can select the most suitable routes in a mere fraction of the time devoted to the necessarily slow methods of ground travel. Difficult and distant territory that previously entailed months, even years, of strenuous labor can now be covered in a matter of days, and formerly inaccessible regions are no longer unattainable.

In the development of the Dominion's industries and natural resources, the work of the Geodetic Survey is an essential factor because it provides an accurate basis for all other kinds of surveys, whether relating to the making of maps, the laying down of interprovincial or other boundaries, or to the construction of powerhouses, dams, canals, railways, irrigation, ditches and the like.

PRECISE LEVELING
Precise leveling was commenced at the Atlantic Coast, and was carried westward following the railways, bench marks being fixed at an average interval of about three miles. As a result of this work the height above mean sea level is now known with a very high degree of accuracy in every city and town of any size in Canada and at thousands of points between the Atlantic and the Pacific.

Another important function of the Geodetic Survey is its work in co-operating in the determination of the size and shape of the earth. The greatest geodetic mathematicians in the world are attempting to solve the problem which is of great scientific importance.

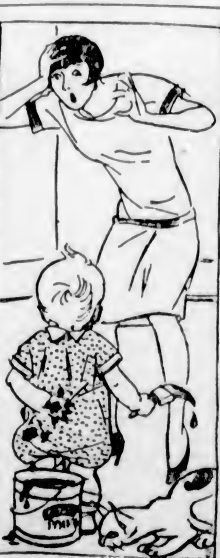
NATIONAL ANTHEM HOLDS POLICE OFF

OGDENSBURG, Hungary, Nov. 28.—Students, who yesterday were resolved to conclude their demonstration of protest against the reparations payment, kept police at bay by singing the National Anthem during their speeches. The police were forced, in accordance with army orders, to stand inactive, at attention, while the singing continued.

Wife (reading paper)—"It's a shame! Simply revolting! Down in the South Sea Islands a man pays \$20 for a wife!"
Hubby—"Yes, that's a lot of money; but if she is pleasant and good-looking and a willing worker, she might be worth it."

Why Mothers Grow Old

By J. H. Striebel



What is there for a painter to say when he is interrupted in his work? Funny thing, Kiddy didn't seem to mind half as much as mother does!

Child Riders at Royal Winter Fair



Lucky Boys, These, to Be Riding Such Sprightly Ponies. They Were Among the Attractions at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, on the 28th. Left, Ashley Wilson, on Ginger, Reserve Champion Shetland Pony, and, Right, Calder Clelland, Aged Seven, on Domino, First Prize Winner in Children's Saddle Class.

ONE DELIVERY CHRISTMAS DAY

Postmaster Gardiner Has Received No Instructions Changing Former Practice

"No advice has been received up to the present in connection with discontinuing the custom of past years in regard to Christmas Day delivery of mail. On that day, as usual, there will be one delivery."

stated Postmaster Gardiner yesterday. Issued by the authority of Mr. L. J. Oaboury, Deputy Postmaster-General, a bulletin is being distributed calling attention to the fact that during the Christmas season there is an unusual parcel congestion at United States custom points. To insure delivery before the holiday, Postmaster Gardiner again advises all intending to send Christmas parcels to the United States to mail them not later than the first week of December. For points outside of the larger centres in the Maritime Provinces, at least eleven days should be

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LARGE SUN SPOTS ARE DISCOVERED

ROME, Nov. 28.—Professor Joseph Armellini, of the Capitoline Observatory, said today that he had discovered a series of new sun spots large enough to be visible to the naked eye through smoked glasses. The biggest was 51,250 miles long and 32,750 miles wide, according to his estimate.

Little Algernon, known to have poetic tendencies, was asked by a father to deliver something along the line of nature study, which he did:

"The man who made that wingless hen
Must be a real fine wizard,
The matter don't concern me much,
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POTATOES NETTED GEMS 6 LBS. 23c Per Sack \$3.35	Pearls 37c
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Motorcar Mystery
Still Problem to
Police Sleuths

PORT WILLIAM, Ont., Nov. 28.—The murder of Robert Berglund, young taxi driver, remains unsolved. Police have worked diligently since the man's body was found yesterday morning, with a bullet wound in the head, but so far, their efforts to locate the person responsible have failed. Berglund's body was discovered by a passing truck driver about 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The body was slumped over the

steering gear of the taxi driver's automobile. A bullet wound was discovered at the base of the skull. Police have been unable to locate the mysterious passenger with whom Berglund left Port William on Tuesday night. Before leaving home Berglund said he was taking a passenger to Muriel, about twenty miles from Port William. Berglund was not seen again, until his body was located on a lonely road about six miles from Port William.

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Diverting Passages From
Recent Historian Display
Strange Form of English

A writer in The Montreal Gazette presents a number of diverting quotations from a recent "Life of Henry VIII" as an instance of English "as she is wrote" in the United States. But English of that sort is not by any means restricted to one country. Similar specimens were quoted by Macaulay from Montgomerie's "poems," by Matthew Arnold from some popular contemporary writers, and by various critics from the novels of Marie Corelli. Not only in the United States and not only in every English-speaking country, but in every country and in every language the same pseudo-literary type of writer produces the same type of prose in his efforts at "fine writing."

The article in The Montreal Gazette is as follows: "It looks as though it may fall to the task of Canadian literature to uphold, more or less single-handed, the cause of good English style in this North American Continent. Recent developments in the United States are such as to suggest that whatever virtues of native literature may be developing, a pure and distinguished English style is not among them. It is entirely conceivable that the United States may eventually develop a more or less characteristic style of its own in a language which, while basically English, will have received important contributions from almost every part of Europe, Asia and Africa. The style with which the language will be handled will doubtless possess many qualities of crude native vigor, elasticity, emotionalism, and the like. But it is not likely, in our time at least, to develop the quality of distinction which has characterized the style of the best English prose and poetry for several hundred years.

"The characteristic American prose writers of the day are men to whom the English language is not an ancient hereditary possession; and this, of course, will be more and more the case as the immigrant races take an increasing part in literary production. A Hergeheimer, a Dreiser, a Veblen, these are the living forces in American literature today. What they write may be excellent American, but as far as style is concerned it is atrocious English. And the latest example of a book enthusiastically reviewed in the United States (and indeed, more than a dozen in many quarters in England) is the "Henry the Eighth" of Francis Hackett. Mr. Hackett is by ancestry an Irishman, and I hesitate to go so far as to say that English is not his ancestral language. But certainly respect for the sternly logical prose diction of Johnson and Addison is not among his virtues. Here are a few of Mr. Hackett's chief offences against the lucidity and sanity of traditional English:

"The full fury of that lion whom, against the advice of Thomas More, he himself had lured and whetted into being." I find it possible to conceive of a man as luring a lion who is already in being; my mind boggles at the thought of either luring or whetting into being a lion who does not already exist.

In this lake of approval, which buoyed Henry, there was a whirligig island, private and guarded, where he was particularly at home." The

one has inherited from one's father? Into a coat, yes; into four pairs of trousers (for one has eight legs), yes; but into an ingenuity, no. It simply cannot be done.

On the very first page of this book we learn that Catherine of Aragon, when first leaving Spain, could not have conveyed to anybody "what it meant to decide, though she could not know it, that she was never to set eyes on her own country again." Can one wonder? It is, indeed, difficult to decide upon a destiny that one does not know, and it must be even more difficult to convey to other people what that decision means. I think this is Mr. Hackett's trouble. He is rather constantly deciding on things that he does not know, and that he therefore cannot set forth clearly and explicitly, as Addison or Macaulay would have set them forth. Careful and logical expression is the only possible substitute of careful and logical thinking. Let us in Canada preserve as long as we can that invaluable mechanism for logical expression, the English style as the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries elaborated it for us.

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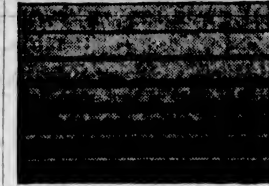
Canada Is Essentially Land of Production—Forests Provide Silk Stockings

Some countries are successful as good hotel-keepers; others as international bankers; still others as carriers by sea or land; but Canada is essentially a country of production. The greater proportion of her daily task is the unlocking of the portals of the gigantic treasure-house which she has inherited from the bringing forth of nature's gifts for her own use and for trade with her neighbors.

Her forests provide lumber for all purposes—paper and even silk stockings; from the furrows on her prairies, which run for a mile without turning the plow, comes bread sufficient to feed nations; her prospectors find precious metals of all sorts within the rim of the unknown. And huge plants are springing up in the wilderness; and to the fishermen on both coasts the draught of fishes is no miracle. She has power available both from water and from coal. In short, she stands in the happy and nearly unique position of a country which could, if necessity demanded it, be sufficient unto herself.

WORLD'S GRANARY
 Canada is the greatest wheat growing country in the world, and her one-tenth of the world's flour. Much of it is ground into flour by her own mills, and she also has large crops of barley and oats. Her own consumption does not nearly equal the amount she grows of these commodities, and there is no danger, in Canada, of the people being told to eat cake for lack of bread.

Then there is her fur industry, which might almost be called her maison d'etre, for it was for her furs that she was first exploited. It was the pioneer industry of the country, and is still one of her greatest. For the year ending September, 1928, this industry realized \$22,767,157 in exports alone. The days when brigades of canoes led Lachine as soon as the ice broke up, for the far north in order to collect pelts from the outposts of the fur companies are gone, but the fur companies are still at the old stand, and Montreal is still the international fur market of the world, while Edmonton and



Second
Helpings!

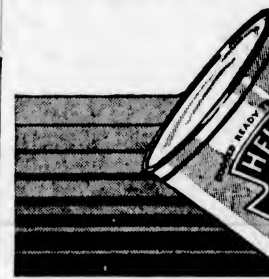
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The mineral wealth of the whole country reads like a story of Aladdin's treasure, and new deposits are being found almost daily. During the past year, immense quantities of metal were taken from the recesses of its earth—gold and silver, copper and zinc. The asbestos mines in Quebec provide most of the world's supply, and Canada has the monopoly of the only known deposits of talc, feldspar, mica and graphite in the world. Records were reached during the past year in the Rouyn district in Quebec, in the cobalt and nickel mines in Ontario, and in the Consolidated Mining & Smelting district in British Columbia. In addition to this, a large oil field is being operated in Alberta by the Imperial Oil Company, which produces petroleum, crude oil, and naphtha.

The largest manufacturing industry in Canada is that of pulp and paper, and this shows a 14 per cent increase for the year 1928. A proportion of the pulp is also used for the manufacture of artificial silk. Despite the threatening danger of

overproduction, the lumber trade proved itself a profitable one during the past year. Production was reduced, and the activity of retail merchants, combined with efficient organization, assured its prosperity. Large quantities of lumber were in demand for building purposes.

Sixty-two thousand fishermen are engaged in the Canadian fishing industry, and in 1928 its profits amounted to approximately \$50,000,000. Nova Scotia in herring; Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island in mackerel; New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island in lobsters and oysters; while on the Pacific Coast salmon, halibut, pilchard, winter herring, ling cod and black cod formed the main part of the catch.

The production of automobiles in Canada has exceeded that of France and England, and she now ranks as the second greatest automobile-producing country in the world, next to the United States. Statistics show that there is one automobile to every 8.8 persons in Canada, while the United States has one automobile to every five persons.

Other commodities produced in great quantity in Canada and which do much to make her independent of the rest of the world, are meat, eggs, cheese, lard and hay; and a Canadian industry of which one hears little and yet which is rapidly expanding is that of tobacco growing. Tobacco is one of the main products of many farms in certain sections of Ontario and Quebec, and their output rivals in importance that of the farmers in Wisconsin and the Connecticut valley. Canadian tobacco growers are at present making a special effort to produce quality rather than quantity.

Building was another Canadian industry to achieve a record last year, and contracts awarded exceeded those of the previous year by \$71,000,000.

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—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



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Hundreds of Yards of Beautiful Hand-Made Laces, ranging in widths from wide lace to narrow edging.

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Good Values Today

Full-Fashioned Pure Thread Silk Hose, semi-service weight, silk to top and silk to garter hem; square and pointed heels. Shades Avenue, clearskin, beachskin, nutone, sonata and illusion. Odd sizes. Regular a pair \$1.75, for **\$1.00**

Thread Silk Hose, semi-finished, with square heels, service-weight silk to garter hem, reinforced at soles, heels and toes. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. **59c**

Very special value, a pair **79c**

Light-Weight Silk and Wool Hose with narrowed ankles and feet and widened hemmed tops. Extra reinforcements at wearing parts. All wanted shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. **98c**

Wool and Silk and Wool Hose in mottled and silk-plated effects. Full fashioned with widened hemmed tops, double soles and high spliced heels. All shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Value, a pair, to \$1.75, for **59c and 69c**

Girls' and Women's Ankle Socks, medium and light-weight all-wool, with turn-down colored cuffs, light and dark fawn and white. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Values to 98c, for **59c and 69c**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Lace Brassieres From Paris

Well Shaped All-Over Lace Brassiere, fastened in back with narrow strap of elastic and button. Fancy shoulder straps. Price **\$1.25**

Beige Lace Brassiere in cup form and buttoned in back. Shown with novelty shoulder straps. Price **\$1.50**

Well shaped model of peach net embroidered in pastel shades, and shown with fancy shoulder straps. Price **\$1.75**

Model of peach glove silk and net, trimmed with narrow lace and medallions. This brassiere has narrow elastic inset in back and two-button fastening. Priced at **\$2.50**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Rayon Lingerie at \$1.95

Rayon Sets, consisting of vest and bobettes or brassiere and bobettes; in shades of blue, coral, peach, Nile, mauve and champagne. A set **\$1.95**

Rayon Silk Slips in tailored style with built-up shoulder or lace-trimmed style with opera top. Each **\$1.95**

Rayon Silk Nightgowns in lace-trimmed or two-toned effects. A splendid range of styles and colorings. Each **\$1.95**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor



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Makes the Daintiest of Gifts

Crepe de Chine Princess Slips in a variety of delicate pastel shades. Each **\$1.95**

Crepe de Chine Nightgowns in a range of lace-trimmed or smartly tailored styles. In many lovely pastel shades. Each **\$1.95 to \$13.95**

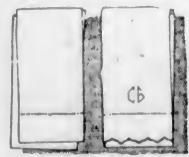
—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Girls' Middies and Skirts

Girls' Navy Serge Pleated Skirts with white cotton detachable bodice top. Splendid for school wear. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Special for, each **\$1.05**

Girls' All-Wool Flannel Middies with sailor collars. Shown in navy and scarlet with red and white braided piping on the collars. Sizes 12, 14 and 16 years. Each **\$2.50**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor



Gift Suggestions in Linens

Irish Embroidered Pillow Cases with scalloped or hem-stitched ends. Priced at, a pair, **98c, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50**

Hand-Embroidered Madeira Pillow Cases. Per pair, **\$3.00, \$3.25 and \$3.50**

Pillow Cases in Madeira work and colored applique. Per pair **\$3.95**

Pillow Cases with colored borders and embroidery. Per pair **\$1.50 and \$2.25**

Oyster Linen Luncheon Sets with colored borders. 45 x 45-Inch cloth and 6 napkins. **\$1.69**

54 x 54-Inch cloth and 6 napkins. **\$2.35**

White Linen Damask Luncheon Sets with colored borders. 54 x 54-Inch cloth and four napkins. Per set **\$3.98**

Pure Linen Luncheon Sets in applique designs. 36 x 36-Inch cloth and 4 napkins. **\$6.50 and \$9.95**

Hand-Painted Cloths of Pure linen damask. Per set, **\$19.75, \$25.00, \$26.50, \$28.50, \$35.00 and \$46.50**

—Staples, Main Floor

Children's Hosiery

Wool and Cotton Golf Hose in wide ribbed effects with contrasting cuff tops. All popular shades. Sizes 6 1/2 to 8. A pair **29c**

All-Wool Golf Hose in wide ribbed effects with contrasting turn-down cuffs. Sizes 6 1/2 to 10. A pair **59c**

Girls' Silk and Wool Hose with long straight legs with narrowed ankles and feet. Strongly reinforced at wearing parts, and shown in all popular shades. Sizes 7 to 9 1/2. A pair **89c**

Fancy Knicker Hose in durable quality all wool with neat turn-down cuffs. Shades are arrowwood, seabird, buff, sand, camel and grey. Sizes 7 to 10. A pair **98c**

—Lower Main Floor



Santa Claus Arrives Saturday Morning

A Great Parade—Fun and Merriment

Bands, Animals, Clowns, Floats, Many Wonders. Parade will start from Central School at 10 a.m. Santa will join the parade at the Causeway, after alighting from his airplane in the Inner Harbor. Watch for full particulars.

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Lincoln Logs—a building toy that will delight small boys.

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English Autos with chain drive; large rubber-tired wheels. Special **\$21.00**

"Atta Boy" Wagon, 30 inches, with big tires. **\$5.75**

—Toys, 2nd Floor

Gifts for the Home

Gifts that add to the beauty and comfort of the home—that are practical—and please everyone.

Mohair-Covered Footstools, each **\$4.25**

Solid Walnut End Table at **\$11.50**

Solid Walnut Sewing Cabinet **\$14.50**

Solid Walnut Smoker Set with trimmings **\$17.75**

Antique Brass Two-Candle Lamp with shade **\$20.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Boys' Overcoats

Many Good Values

Overcoats of heavy check-back tweeds and blue chin-chillas, three-quarter lined, with belted back; for 10 to 16 years **\$14.95**

Overcoats of fancy tweeds and chin-chillas, wool lined, belted back and two-way collar; for 3 to 8 years. At **\$8.95**

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—Boys' Store, Gov't Street

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—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

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Black Calf Brogues, Kid and Calf Oxfords with Cuban heels and welted soles, and a great number of assorted styles. Marked down to clear at, a pair **\$1.95**

Black Kid Oxfords with cushion soles, patent and kid straps, and a big variety of short lines. Reduced to clear at, a pair **\$2.95**

Sport and School Oxfords in black and brown calf, Patent and Kid Ties and Straps, Brown and Colored Kid Straps. A pair **\$3.95**

Blue, Brown or Black Suede Strap Shoes, Black Satin d'Orsay Pumps, Patent Leather and Brown Kid d'Orsay Pumps and Straps. All latest styles. A pair **\$4.95**

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